

North Yorkers Gird Themselves For 6th Victory Loan Drive

The first half dozen Victory loans are the hardest. North York goes into the sixth Victory loan campaign on April 24. Aubrey Davis, Newmarket,



AUBREY DAVIS

president of the Davis Leather Co., has again accepted the chairmanship and is presiding over the organization dinner at Pickering College on Friday evening.

Harold M. Gully, Toronto, vice-president of Silverwood Dairies Ltd., will be the guest speaker. Mr. Gully operates a dairy farm at Agincourt as a hobby. He says: "Business men are not smart enough to be farmers and make money out of it."

H. L. Trapp, with headquarters at Newmarket, is organizing the loan in North York.

TREAT BOND BUYERS TO FREE STAGE SHOW

The Lions club is sponsoring the "Victory Loan Parade," a stage show composed of leading artists and a full orchestra, in Newmarket on Thursday, May 4.

Considerable "wire-pulling" is said to have been necessary to secure this outstanding attraction for Newmarket, as it is only intended for the larger centres.

Primarily, of course, this show is intended to boost the sale of Victory bonds and the only way in which admission to the performance can be gained is through the purchase of a bond.

When a bond is purchased, either through a canvasser or through a bank, a certificate is issued to the

North Gwillimbury's War Industry Gets Once-Over

Reeve Ross McMillan, members of North Gwillimbury township council and Clerk Fred Peel accepted an invitation to visit Dawson's Boat Works at Keswick last week.

For over two years this firm has been building life-boats for the Canadian navy. At present 25-foot ten-eared cutters are being manufactured and the councillors saw these in various stages of construction. One boat, complete except for the outside coat of paint, was given a test by the council.

The councillors manned five of the ten oars and Reeve McMillan handled the rudder. The boat did not travel far and none of the crew was seasick, probably because the boat was on dry land, but all agreed that it was a nice craft. An interesting feature to the council was the way in which sections of tamarac stumps, taken from swamps in the vicinity, are converted into important parts of each boat. Previous to the present contract Dawson's were building life-boats for Fairmile sub-chasers.

Dawson's also operate a machine-shop, which has been turning out parts for tanks, field gun parts and controls and winders for tank landing barges. At present several sets of controls and winders are being completed and sent forward each week. These are being built under sub-contract from Plywood Fabricators Ltd. of Leaside. The castings for the winders are turned out in the Stark foundry at Newmarket.

The council found several North Gwillimbury men busy in the boat works and machine-shop turning out these products, which may find their way to the scene of the great invasion. The peace-time business of this

purchaser to the effect that a bond has been purchased. Anyone holding such a certificate in the sixth Victory loan can obtain a ticket admitting one person only. In other words, if two members of a family wish to see the show, the purchase of a Victory bond for each is necessary. Simply present the certificate to one of the stores to be named at a later date and your certificate will be stamped to show that a ticket has been issued good for one admission to the show.

This show is for not only Newmarket people but for anyone who buys a Victory bond.

In the last campaign over 1,200 Newmarket citizens bought bonds. It is obvious that 1,200 people could not get into the town hall, so arrangements have been made to present the show at the Newmarket military camp drill hall. Ample seating capacity will be available for 1,500 and first there, first served. After 8:15 p.m. the seating capacity not then taken up will be made available to the troops.

Buy your bonds early, as there is a limited seating capacity and when the 1,500 seats being held are taken up it will be too late to get a ticket even if you buy a million dollar bond.

So buy bonds early. Speed the victory.

Between April 15 and May 4 the Lions club and the Newmarket veterans will be offering draw tickets to the public covering \$50 Victory bonds to be drawn for on May 4. The greater the sale the more bonds will be drawn for.

Forty percent of the sale is being retained by these two organizations for the purchase of cigarettes for the boys overseas. Help yourself to a bond by buying all the tickets you can and at the same time help these organizations send cigarettes overseas.



HAROLD M. GULLY

IS IMPROVING

Lorne Wass, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wass, is progressing favorably following his operation on Sunday.

plant is building, storing and repairing pleasure boats. The number and quality of the craft stored here was a revelation to the councillors. They found all kinds of boats from little "putt-putts" up to elaborate yachts 60 feet long and 25 tons, some of them representing the price of two or three North Gwillimbury farms.

Inspection of the boat storage was a cool job but Arthur Dawson kindly invited the councillors to his nearby home, where Mrs. Dawson set them right by serving hot tea and a tasty lunch, thus concluding a pleasant and interesting inspection of this worth-while industry.

SPRING IS HERE

The ice-fishing season at Lake Simcoe ended last week as fishing enthusiasts removed their huts from the lake before the spring ice break-up.

LOSES BROTHER

Word has been received by Mrs. Frank Keats that her brother, William Clarke, died suddenly in London, England, on Feb. 26. Mr. Clarke is survived by his wife and 12 children. A nephew of Mrs. Keats is seriously wounded in Italy.

HARDBALL MEETING WILL BE HELD FRIDAY EVENING

A hardball meeting will be held in the council chambers tomorrow evening at 8:30 o'clock. All those interested are asked to please attend.

WOUNDED IN ITALY



Word was received by Mr. and Mrs. Ross Sturdy, Keswick, last week, that their youngest son, Sgt. Victor Sturdy, has been slightly wounded in action. Sgt. Sturdy was serving in Italy. Two brothers, Vernon and Clair, are also on active service.

LIONS WILL EMPLOY RECREATION DIRECTOR

The practical side of citizenship as carried out by the Newmarket Lions club was described at the March meeting of the Newmarket Home and School Association in the Alexander Muir school.

Among the Lion activities Mr. Cockburn mentioned the sending of Christmas baskets to homes where Christmas might otherwise be a pretty dull affair for the children of the family.

"Medical assistance in the way of nose and throat operations, help for crippled children, and sight conservation are all part of the excellent citizenship work which the Lions have done," Mr. Cockburn related.

He then mentioned the contribution of the Lions park to the community and what it would mean to the citizens of the town for years to come.

"One of the Lions' most recent projects and one of great value in developing our teen-aged boys into good citizens is the sponsoring of the Air Cadets," Mr. Cockburn said. He paid tribute to the outstanding service being carried on by Lion Bert Budd in his work with the Boy Scouts.

The Newmarket Lions club is the first to undertake speech correction, Mr. Cockburn said.

The Lions, Mr. Cockburn states, are looking forward to still greater service to the children and young people of this community for this summer, when they are planning to employ a director of recreation.

Mr. Cockburn concluded his modest review of the accomplishments of the Lions club by saying that "not only are the Lions interested in helping others to become better citizens, but in so doing each member is becoming a better citizen himself."

Miss Mary Gibney Spent Her Life in District

After a lengthy illness, Mary Jane Gibney died at the home of her brother, James H. Gibney, 43 Gorham St., Newmarket, on Friday.

Born in East Gwillimbury township, near Mount Albert, in 1884, Miss Gibney was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gibney, Newmarket. She was a member of the United Church.

Surviving are five brothers, Norman, Queensville, James, Wesley, Sam, all of Newmarket, and Eugene, Toronto. One sister, Mrs. Anna Belle Hughes, predeceased her in 1918.

The pallbearers were six nephews, Harvey Gibney, Delbert Gibney, Wm. Gibney, Russell Hughes, John Rutledge and James McElale.

Rev. Henry Cotton conducted the funeral service at the chapel of Roadhouse and Rose on Monday afternoon. Interment was made in Newmarket cemetery.

IS ILL IN HOSPITAL

Miss Bernice Spaulding, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at York County hospital on Monday morning is progressing favorably. Miss Spaulding is a member of The Era and Express staff.

SUPERVISES N.B. HOSTEL

Mr. and Mrs. George Bissell left on Monday morning for St. John, N.B., where Mr. Bissell is acting as a Salvation Army hostel supervisor.

Era and Express classifieds cost 50 cents (25 cents if paid within a week).

HAS NO COMPLAINTS

Two brief postcards from Pte. A. C. West, formerly editor of the Express-Herald, expressing thanks for cigarettes, were read by Secretary T. F. Doyle at Newmarket Lions club on Monday evening.

One said: "Thanks again. No complaints. Ang."

The other said: "Thanks again, fellows. Had tea at Jim Law's birthplace. Just like Buckingham Palace. Ang."

Mr. Law was born at Balerno Hill House, Balerno, Scotland, eight miles from Edinburgh, where Pte. West is serving with the postal corps.

IN THE FIGHT FOR FREEDOM

Doings of those serving their country on land, on the sea, and in the air.

Contributions welcomed for this column—Phone 780.

AC2 Don MacBride, Montreal, spent the weekend at his home. Cpl. Kenneth Ponting, Ottawa, spent the Easter weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ponting.

Cpl. Edith McClymont, Arrprior, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Wm. McClymont.

Sgt. Irwin Young, Rockcliffe, spent the weekend with his uncle, Mr. Fleming Young.

Sgt. Alex. Mathewson of the R.C.A.F., Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Cpl. David Mathewson, Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Pilot Officer J. E. Cullen, Weyburn, Sask., has been promoted recently to Flying Officer.

Pte. Morley L. Woodruff, Camp Ipperwash, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Woodruff.

Sgt. Percy Pemberton, who recently arrived home from overseas, is a patient at Chorley Park hospital, Toronto.

Rfmn. Jas. Ennis, Thorold, spent the weekend with his wife and family.

LAC Merlyn Widdifield, St. Thomas, spent the weekend with his wife and family.

Sgmn. Chas. Bennett, Woodstock, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bennett.

LAC Archie Bennett, Camp Borden, spent Good Friday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bennett.

Sgt.-Pilot Howard H. Hamilton is stationed in England.

C. T. Johnson, Queensville, was among recent graduates at the air gunner school at Macdonald, Man.

Pte. Kenneth Gould, Simcoe, spent Easter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gould.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gould received a bouquet of roses for Easter from their son, Coder Bruce Gould, of the R.C.N.V.R., Newfoundland.

DOBBIE HITCH-HIKES PLANE RIDE TO NAPLES

Mrs. E. M. Dobbie has received an interesting letter from her son, Gnr. A. E. Dobbie, who is in Italy.

"Here's something you can write in your diary, if you have one," he writes. "If not, I am sure you would like to hear it anyway. On March 9 a friend by the name of Kelly and myself went to an airport and hitched a ride over to Naples and came back the following morning."

"Naples is about the best place that I've seen in this country and is quite a large city. I really enjoyed myself, especially after I had bought three little souvenirs, which I will send just as soon as I get back and find something half decent to wrap them in. But I bet you'd really holler if you knew what I paid for them. It is very hard to get any little things for gifts in the country."

"It was really swell when we were in the air, only it gets pretty cold when you get up around 10 to 12 thousand feet and everything looks like little specks on the ground. I was up again this morning from eight until about five past nine and believe me those Mosquito bombers are really fast and manoeuvre very easily."

"It took us 40 minutes to go over to Naples and if he had kept on going to England I'd have gone with him. Then tried to catch another plane from there to Canada."

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BROTHERS TRAIN IN THREE PROVINCES



The three "soldier boys" pictured above are (left to right) LAC Kenneth Groves of the R.C.A.F., North Battleford, Sask.,



Pte. Jack Groves, Sherbrooke, P.Q., and Pte. Walter Groves, Debert, N.S. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Groves, Newmarket. Kenneth and Jack are at present at home on short leaves. Photos by Budd.

IS NOW WARRANT OFFICER

A letter received by Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Johnson on Saturday stated that their son, Alvin J. Johnson, has been promoted to the rank of warrant officer (2) in the R.C.A.F. W.O.2 Johnson went overseas about a year ago.

Land Was Given For As Long As Hill Held Water

(By Elizabeth Leek)

The Birchards were the first family to settle in the Mount Albert district. The following items with photos of the first settlers, Samuel Birchard and his wife, Ruth Pearson Birchard, and the two Birchard brothers, Eli and Nathan, were sent by James Birchard of Kenosha, Wis., U.S.A., with the request that the photos be placed in the Sharon temple.

When the Birchards came to this part of East Gwillimbury (Mount Albert) they had to chop a road seven miles through the forest to their land or claim of 200 acres on the hill (Harold Broderick is the present owner of the farm).

When the settlers needed wheat flour they put a few bushels of wheat on a crooked sled made from a V-shaped tree and took it to a grist-mill at Holland Landing. It took two days to go and return with an ox team.

The wheat was threshed with a flail. They had a large scarp made of wood, three feet wide. On a windy day they threw the wheat up in the air to let the wind blow the chaff away.

The wolves came in packs. The settlers had difficulty in raising stock. For years their flock of sheep gained but one each year. Mrs. Birchard, by blowing a big tin horn, would frighten the wolves away.

James Birchard writes: "Think of how our ancestors lived, but they lived."

The deed to the land for the schoolhouse, given by Mr. Birchard, the first settler, gave the land to the community to have "as long as grass grows and water ran down hill."

The land was never to be used for any other purpose.

"Those who today live at the foot of the hill know full well that the old deed still 'holds water.'"

HOLD CHURCH PARADE

All Scouts and Cubs are asked to please assemble at the Scout hall at 10:30 Sunday morning to parade to St. Andrew's Presbyterian church.

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HAS BIRTHDAY IN ITALY



Gnr. John Hisey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orval Hisey, will celebrate his 21st birthday on April 13. This will be Gnr. Hisey's second overseas birthday. He is in Italy.

NON-RESIDENT SCHOOL FEES ARE QUESTIONED

Forty-two pupils from outside the municipal boundaries pay public school fees. Principal H. A. Jackson told a public school board meeting last Thursday evening.

Trustee Dr. G. E. Case said that while non-residents paid \$2 a month per child, residents of the town with a substantial assessment paid several times that amount.

"A man builds a house outside the town and pays \$30 taxes," commented Dr. Case. "Somebody else builds a house inside the town and pays \$120 taxes. The difference in tax is largely due to school costs."

Trustee Mrs. A. H. Woods did not think that any rural pupils should be excluded through inability to pay.

Dr. Case suggested that non-resident fees might be revised another year.

Mrs. J. C. R. Edwards, the chairman, Mrs. A. H. Woods and representatives of the teaching staff, Mr. Jackson, Vice-Principal Fred Hall and Miss Evelyn Denne, were named as delegates to the Ontario Educational Association.

Mr. Jackson reported that 1,317 pupil days had been lost in March due to illness. This was unusually high, he said.

"The condition of the King George school grounds is terrible," said Trustee Norman Williams. "Something should be done. A foundation of elders is needed."

"Sometimes I think that it is too bad that we don't make more use of the Stuart Scott school grounds," said Mrs. Edwards. "We could perhaps have manual training and domestic science at the King George school."

Dr. Case suggested that this receive consideration in June.

Damage to school property was under discussion. "Some boys do pranks to gain recognition which they do not get through success in their studies," said Mr. Jackson.

Mrs. Woods thought that parents would appreciate increased manual training opportunities for students not academically minded. Mr. Jackson agreed.

Mrs. Edwards reported that Bernard McElale, chairman of the separate school board, had asked about the possibility of separate school boys and girls, not more than ten in all, taking manual training and domestic science with the public school classes.

Mr. Jackson said that he could absorb the boys all right but that he did not know about the girls without consulting the domestic science teacher. The board decided to discuss the request further at the next meeting, when more information would be available.

ILL ONLY FEW HOURS. MRS. JAS. LINSKILL DIES

Mrs. James Linskill, Queensville, died at York County hospital on April 3 as a result of a stroke. She was ill only a few hours.

Alexandria Milne was born at Queensville on Sept. 10, 1867, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Linskill. She married James Linskill on Dec. 12, 1889, and he predeceased her on Sept. 3, 1939.

Mrs. Linskill was a member of the former Presbyterian church at Queensville and an adherent of the United Church.

Surviving are one son, John F. Linskill, and one daughter, Mrs. Harry Morton (Marion), and four grandchildren, Elwood and Donna Linskill and Margaret and Angus Morton.

The pallbearers were J. L. Smith, Wm. A. Burkholder, Harry Hulse, Herb. Whyte, Raymond Huntley and Eugene Flanagan.

Rev. Hugh Shannon of Queensville conducted the funeral service at the chapel of Roadhouse and Rose, Newmarket, on April 6. Interment was made in Queensville cemetery.

IS UNION PRESIDENT

Jim Cullen, formerly one of the leaders in the union movement at Davis Leather Co., Newmarket, is now president of the Oshawa local of the International Fur and Leather Workers, C.I.O.

Classifieds bring results.

Distinguished Flying Cross Awarded To Newmarket Airman

Squadron-Leader Gordon Ough, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ough, Newmarket, has been awarded the D.F.C. His wife, formerly Helen Nesbitt, Toronto, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Nesbitt, Newmarket.

Squadron-Leader Ough has been serving with an Australian squadron operating against enemy shipping. Some time ago he was forced down in the Mediterranean with his crew. They were picked up by a destroyer.

"Throughout a tour of operational duty this officer has displayed outstanding devotion, keen determination and courage, setting an inspiring example to all in his flight," the citation said.



GORDON OUGH

Movie Argues Workman's Lot Has Been Improved

Any scoffers at national selective service and unemployment insurance revised their viewpoint after seeing a national film board movie under the auspices of the Lions club in St. Paul's parish hall on Monday evening.

The film took the story of one workman and showed his trials and troubles and unpaid time-off in the "good old days" and then showed what happened to him today when he lost his job.

Today he had a little "red tape" to contend with but he did get into a new job that suited him, and he did get unemployment insurance benefits after his nine "waiting days." The "hero" of the picture was delighted and the audience was impressed.

Norman Manzie, Toronto, showed the picture, and P. J. Tod, selective service officer at Newmarket, arranged the event.

Rural municipal councillors were the guests of the club. President Fred, Thompson expressed the thanks of the Lions and their guests for this picture and another on "War on the Persian Front."

EXPLAINS DOUBLES AT NEWMARKET GREENS

There is evidently some misunderstanding relative to the club doubles or championship doubles. This event is a club event and the winners, with the runners-up, are entitled to represent the Newmarket club in the Globe and Mail doubles.

If, however, any entry which may be fortunate enough to come through cannot go to Toronto, the next in line according to scores and games won, will be eligible. The actual club winners will, however, still be club champions for the current year and will receive their prizes at the annual meeting.

In advance of announcements for the big Dominion day Scotch doubles tournament entry blanks are being sent to every club member. Don't delay sending in your entries as there is already assurance of four from Dunnville, probably the same from Buffalo and possibly two from Wingham.

WM. MITCHELL DIES.
WAS HOLT RESIDENT

After a lingering illness Wm. Mitchell died at his residence at Holt on Monday, March 27.

A long-time resident of Holt and Mount Albert, Mr. Mitchell was born at Elgin Mills, being the last remaining member of his family. He was in his 77th year.

He leaves to mourn his loss four sons, Peter, Seth, Andrew and Chesley, three daughters, Mrs. Robert Pierce (Carrie), Kitchener, Mrs. Ross Holstock (Rachel), Mount Albert, and Mrs. Ben. Cookson (Hattie), Holt, 13 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

The service was largely attended at Holt church. The pallbearers were his four sons, Peter, Seth, Andrew and Chesley, and two sons-in-law, Robert Pierce and Ross Holstock.

The flower-bearers were four grandsons, Billie Pierce, Fred Holstock, Herb. Plummer and Jack Mitchell.

Interment was made in Mount Albert cemetery.

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NORTH YORK PARK

It is splendid that Ontario should have such an area set aside, for the enjoyment of the public and visitors from abroad, as Algonquin Park (2,740 square miles). There will come a day when the people of Ontario will bless the wisdom of those who set aside this great provincial park (Ontario's national parks total only 12 square miles).

As splendid as Algonquin Park is, and as increasingly enjoyed as it will be, it could not be as much enjoyed as a comparatively tiny park close to Ontario's principal centre of population, Toronto. A great deal of King and Whitchurch townships are not suitable for agriculture and yet have a great deal of natural beauty. Such areas of these townships are not being used profitably for farming could be purchased and turned into park areas. Eroded hills and gullies, where the soil should never have been broken, could be reforested as a post-war project for men who enjoy an outdoor life. Dams could be built to store water for the lakes and streams that used to make these townships a sportsman's paradise. Winding scenic roads could be built up the valleys of the Humber and the Don rivers from Toronto to the park areas.

Such farms as remained in these two townships (Whitchurch and King) would again enjoy adequate water supplies, and, both for agricultural and residential purposes, the land would increase greatly in value. The Davis-Mayall report shows how King township could be restored to its one-time natural glory at a small cost. Government (dominion or provincial) purchase for park purposes of considerable areas of the now wasted and desolated areas of King and Whitchurch would mean that another generation would not again turn to sand areas that should not be touched by the plow nor cut down the woods that hold the moisture for streams and lakes. Re-sale of selected sites for residential purposes and the gasoline tax on sight-seers would eventually pay for the whole project.

MISCARRIAGE OF DEMOCRACY

The Drew government has sent legislature members home for another year after seven weeks of deliberation. In this practice it

follows the example set by the Hepburn government and, for aught we know to the contrary, of even earlier governments. It may also be the practice which a C.C.F. government will follow in years to come.

The fact is that governments don't like legislatures because they don't like criticism. They don't like to have to answer questions and explain why they appointed this person or awarded that contract.

The British parliament is the most democratic legislative body in the world, not because it operates under the same rules as our Canadian parliament and legislatures, but because of its traditions of power. It remains in session for a great part of the year and it can make or break or censure a government whenever that government steps out of line.

An Ontario legislature member can do little to earn his \$2,000 indemnity in seven weeks. He has few opportunities to speak and practically no share in the government of the province. We are not making the best use of our democratic institutions. We go to a great deal of expense to elect our legislature members but unless they happen to be cabinet members they have little chance to influence government policy.

It is quite possible that some day Ontario will have a C.C.F. government. If that should happen it would be in the interests of the people of the province, as many conservatively-minded persons will agree, that the legislature should be in session for at least half the year and be in a position to make a C.C.F. government explain each step it took. Similarly, it is now in the interests of the province that the legislature should be in session for a good part of the year, and that the Progressive-Conservative government should have to explain its policies, actions and inactions to the legislature.

VILLAGE, TOWN, CITY

One of the arguments against York township becoming a city is that it would be expensive to keep the sort of establishment usually expected of a city. Perhaps there would be robes to buy for the mayor, and keys to be purchased to present to distinguished visitors. It may be for that reason that the village of Fergus, with nearly 3,000 population, chooses to remain a village. We note that the Scottish village council is going to allow its chief constable \$5 a month for the use of his car on village business. It would have been a good deal more probably if the allowance had been for "town business."

In Newmarket the allowance is \$9 a week to the chief constable for the use of his car within the town boundaries. We would think that to be just about a fair allowance for full-time operation of a car in Newmarket (provided no fenders are dented on Main St.). The item in the Fergus News-Record reminded us that Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales of Newmarket, a member of the Newmarket police committee, practised for three years in Fergus with Dr. Abraham Groves—the distinguished Canadian physician and surgeon who performed one of the first successful abdominal operations and is now gone to his reward. Dr. Dales never became a true Scotsman, however, and Newmarket is not likely to revert to village status.

ZEPHYR CLUB ENTERTAINS 120 AT HOCKEY BANQUET

Miss Kathleen Rae, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Rae, and Mr. Francis Hockley were married at the parsonage on April 8. Rev. Mr. Good officiated.

Miss Irene Curl, Toronto, spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curl.

Mr. Harold Baker spent Easter with his sister, Mrs. Bartlett, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tilman Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Meyers and Patsy, Mr. Harry Meyers and Miss Lulu Crosby spent Sunday in Toronto.

Miss Betty Meyers returned from York County hospital on Sunday after having her tonsils removed last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Sheridan, Newmarket, visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curl on Sunday.

Miss Joan Newton, Bowmanville, is spending the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. O. Silversides and Beth.

Mr. Alvin Walker, Toronto, spent last Thursday at his home before going into the army.

Mrs. R. Harman, Mount Albert, had tea with Mr. and Mrs. B. Armstrong and Mona recently.

Misses Barbara and Beulah Kester, Whitby Ladies' College, are spending the holidays at their home.

Miss Lena Lockie and Neil Lockie, Toronto, spent Easter with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Lockie.

Miss Evelyn Coultice spent a few days with her parents recently.

Mrs. J. H. Lockie, Bruce and Allan, spent last Thursday in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Raham spent Easter with Mr. Raham's father, Mr. Fred Raham.

Miss Marguerite Lockie spent the weekend in Newmarket.

Miss Betty Armstrong is spending the holidays with her grandmother in Uxbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Allan, Toronto, are visiting friends for a few days.

The Y.P.S. will meet in the Sunday-school room on Thursday night. A special program of slides is being arranged.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Pickering and June and Pte. Keith Pickering, Toronto, were home over the weekend.

Mrs. Ethel Harman, Mount Albert, is spending a week or two with friends around Zephyr.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Heaton and Kenneth, Toronto, and Mr. T. Heaton, Pickering, spent the holiday at their home in Zephyr.

Miss Blanche Clark, Toronto, and Miss Olive Myers, Toronto, were at their homes in Zephyr for the weekend holiday.

Pte. Clarkson Arnold of the isolation hospital is spending a week at his home after having had the mumps.

Mr. Wm. Squires, Toronto, was home for the holidays.

Miss Irma Cain was home from Toronto for the Easter holidays.

Mrs. Black and Miss Edna Keller were in Toronto on Good Friday.

Miss Joyce Williams spent the holiday with Blanche Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Myers and baby of Toronto spent Easter with Mr. Myers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tilman Meyers.

LAC Bryce Arnold, St. John, N.B., and Hugh Arnold, Brooklin, were calling on friends in Zephyr during the Easter holidays.

Mrs. Lyle, Greenland, is caring for Mr. and Mrs. Midgley and family, who are sick with the mumps.

Mrs. Dewey Graham spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Wright, and family, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Cain attended the funeral of Mrs. Cain's brother, Wm. Shepherd, who died suddenly in Toronto.

Mr. Lorne Shepherd, son of the late Wm. Shepherd, is spending a few days with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. H. Cain, fourth concession.

Miss Mildred Lunney is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. C. Pickering.

Mrs. Kendall, Whitby, spent a few days with her father, Mr. H. Pickering.

Mr. and Mrs. Everton Pickering, Toronto, visited Mr. H. Pickering during the holiday.

Miss Irene Lockie, Toronto, spent the weekend with her brother, Earl Lockie, and family.

Misses Mabel Elliott and Ruth Keller were in Toronto on Good Friday.

Walter Curl was rushed to a Toronto hospital for an appendix operation one day last week.

Mrs. E. Sedore is in a Toronto hospital where she underwent an operation.

Zephyr, April 6.—Mr. and Mrs. H. McKeown spent last Wednesday with Mrs. McKeown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Myers.

Mrs. J. S. Ferguson's brother from Peterboro and her grandchildren visited her on Sunday.

Zephyr hockey club treated its many ardent supporters to a banquet last Wednesday evening.

In spite of the inclement weather, 120 sat down to a table well laden with food.

Wilmot Bain, chairman for the evening, called upon Ivan B. Law, director of ceremonies, to present to each member of the team a leather windbreaker.

Following the banquet, the guests played euchre. At 11 o'clock the floor was cleared and the rest of the evening was spent in dancing. Music was supplied by the Purvis orchestra.

Flt.-Sgt. Haig Rynard and Pte. Roderick Rynard left last week for Montreal.

The W.M.S. of the United church met at the home of Mrs. A. S. Arnold on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rynard and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Silversides celebrated their wedding anniversaries at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Silversides on

POTTAGEVILLE

Mrs. McDonald, Toronto, spent Good Friday and the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams.

Miss Kathleen West, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George West.

Miss Marjory Gritten, Weston, spent Good Friday and the weekend with Miss Margaret Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Stott, Long Branch, spent Good Friday with Mr. and Mrs. George West.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hutt's four-month-old son died.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Archibald and Mrs. Robert Rose spent Wednesday afternoon in Toronto to see their brother, Pte. Charles Archibald, who returned from overseas on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Paton and son of Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Paton and family of Brampton spent Good Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Elias Paton.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Emmerson and family of Nobleton spent Good Friday with Mr. Emmerson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Emmerson.

Mr. Ed O'Brien spent Good Friday and the weekend at his home here.

Mrs. Silas Groombridge and son called on Mrs. Groombridge's daughters, Mrs. Leon Evans and Mrs. George Wilder, on Sunday.

Pte. Charles Archibald, Mrs. Archibald and family are spending a week visiting Pte. Archibald's brothers, sisters and friends. He is on a 30-day leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Paton and boys have moved back to Pottageville for the summer.

There was a nice turn-out at the United church Sunday-school Easter service on Sunday morning.

Appointments to mission fields for the summer months, announced by the United church of Canada, show that Raymond Cook, Aurora, will be posted to the south Saskatchewan and southern Alberta conference.

Francis Whiting, St. Andrew's College, has been assigned to the north Saskatchewan conference. Ewart Madden, who lived at Queensville for some years, has been posted to the northern Alberta conference.

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Tennis, Lawn Bowling Enthusiasts Will Meet

There was a good attendance at the Willing Workers meeting at the home of Mrs. J. Reid on April 5. The lesson was read by Mrs. E. Johnston. Rev. R. R. McMath led in prayer. Mrs. A. M. Colville gave a practical talk on "Making the most of our opportunities."

Another early meeting will be arranged early in May. Everyone is asked to please save their magazines, papers, rags and cardboard.

Lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Fred Reid.

Everyone interested in tennis and lawn bowling is urged to attend a public meeting at the schoolhouse on Monday evening, April 17, at 8.30 o'clock.

Mrs. John Reid is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. Brown, Toronto.

Albert Clark spent the Easter holidays at his home in Toronto.

The program at the school on Thursday evening, April 6, was appropriate to the Easter season.

Mr. Rowen, the religious director for Pine Orchard and Bogartown schools, was chairman.

Choruses by pupils from both schools, a trio, hymns in unison, an Easter pantomime by Pine Orchard girls and an illustrated talk by Mrs. S. Radcliffe of Ringwood were greatly appreciated.

Members of the Gideon organization presented a copy of the Bible to the school board for each pupil of the Pine Orchard school.

A collection was taken and given to the work of the Gideon organization.

Miss Betty Spence is spending the holidays at her home in Toronto.

Miss Betty Hope of Toronto Normal school is at home for the Easter holidays.

The Easter service was well attended at the Union church on Sunday. The Easter message was given by Rev. R. R. McMath. A selection was given by the girls' chorus, under the direction of Mrs. Geo. Wood. Mrs. Harry Beer, Newmarket, favored the congregation with two splendid solos. J. Hope, superintendent of the Sunday-school, on behalf of Mr. McMath, presented prizes to Marjorie and Douglas Bagg for writing in their own words the pastor's story to the children at each Sunday service.

The church was beautifully decorated with hand-painted Easter scenes by Rudy Renzius, Newmarket, potted plants and cut flowers.

Howard Lehman, R.C.A.F., Mrs. Lehman and Anna Jean, St. Thomas, were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Shropshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin Widdfield, Newmarket, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Allan and Miss Alva Widdfield.

Mr. W. Grindell, Misses Wilma and Fay Grindell, Toronto, spent the Easter weekend at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hopper and family, Toronto, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lundy.

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Queensville

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Henry for the Easter weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Wilson and family of Fonthill and Mr. and Mrs. E. Bell, Lefroy.

Mrs. Joyce, Sr., has returned to her daughter's, Mrs. A. Newall's, after spending some time in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Joyce, Jr., spent the holiday weekend with Mr. and Mrs. A. Newall.

Mrs. Wm. Burkholder is visiting in Montreal.

Mrs. Raymond Watson has returned home from the hospital where she underwent an appendicectomy operation. She is improving favorably.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray. Huntley have moved into the village and are occupying Mrs. Aylward's house.

Mr. and Mrs. Spanton, Toronto, who have recently bought Everett Smith's home, are now occupying it.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Aylward over the weekend were Miss Mary Marsh and Miss Ruby Craig.

Patty Ray and Buddy Donell, Toronto, are spending the holiday week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Kavanagh.

Guests at the manse during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Walls, Mrs. Harry Toombs and Dale and Miss Dorothy Shannon.

Mrs. Rex Smith and Miss Joy, Sudbury, were holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Smith.

Mrs. Jacob Smith has returned to her home here after spending the winter months with her daughter, Mrs. Clayton, at Chesherville.

The service conducted by the C.G.I.T. on Monday night was well attended. After devotional exercises, conducted by the president, Audrey Eves, assisted by Alma Baisdon, who read the lesson, beautiful lantern slides, entitled "The Risen Master," were shown. The address on the slides was given by Rev. Hugh Shannon.

The Easter service at the United church was well attended on Sunday morning. The anthems rendered by the choir were "The Garden of Gethsemane" and "He is Risen." Ruby Strasser sang "The Holy City."

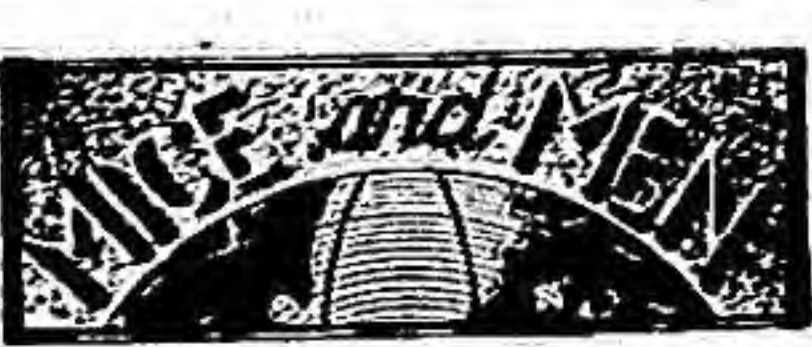
Floyd Cunningham and J. L. Smith were inducted as elders and received as members of the session. This was followed by the communion service.

The Queensville nursing class has been postponed until further notice.

The following articles were shipped recently to the Red Cross headquarters: nine large quilts, two small quilts, one kimono, three girls' skirts, two girls' blouses, five turtle-neck sweaters, two sleeveless sweaters and two pairs of gloves.

dance at Belhaven hall was a grand success.

Workers are urgently needed.



25 YEARS AGO

From The Era and Express files, April 11, 1919

One farmer on Yonge St. made \$25 last Sunday drawing cars out of a mud hole in front of his gate. His charge was \$250 a car.

Gr. Mont Brimmon arrived in Newmarket on the 12 o'clock car on Tuesday and was met by a number of Newmarket people.

There were a great many people in town last Saturday. Prices on the market were on the upward grade. Eggs were 40 to 42 cents a dozen. Butter was 60 to 65 cents a pound.

Pte. Ernie Harland got home from the front last Friday.

Pte. Fred Bailey another returned soldier, got back from the front on Saturday.

Pte. Alex. Eves of the 127th got home at 4 o'clock on Tuesday and had a great cheer at the Metropolitan depot. He looks fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mills announce the engagement of their daughter, Violet, to Mr. W. R. Travis, the marriage to take place this month.

Gershon Proctor, son of the post office carrier, arrived home from the front on Sunday evening.

MARRIED—At St. Paul's church, Newmarket, by Rev. T. G. McGonigle, on April 9, 1919, Lawrence Harrison of Toronto to Edith, daughter of Thos. Apps of Newmarket.

50 YEARS AGO

From The Era and Express files, April 13, 1894

The minister of education, in his annual report to the legislature, honors this town by a full-page color engraving of Newmarket high school, which does the structure full justice.

The McKillian farm in Whitchurch is to be sold by auction in town tomorrow.

The Newmarket Bicycle club held its annual meeting at the club rooms on Thursday evening, April 5. J. E. Hughes is the new club president.

McCastra, Danford Roche and Co. will occupy the premises lately occupied by Messrs. Brunton Bros. as their men's wear department on Tuesday, May 1. On July 1 they will start alterations which will give Newmarket a decidedly modern store.

Ed. Jolly leaves today for St. William on Lake Erie.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Baatedo were "at home" last Friday evening.

Martin Bogart of Yonge St. gave a taffy pull to some Newmarket friends one evening last week.

MARRIED—On April 11, 1894, by Rev. J. Odery, at the residence of the bride's father, Al. Haines, Toronto, to Emma, third daughter of En. Haines of Newmarket.

MARRIED—On April 4, 1894, by Rev. J. Frazer, at the residence of the bride's father, Jas. Styles to Jessie, third daughter of John Munroe, Esq., North Gwillimbury.

Now is the time to go through the attic or cellar for articles which someone else needs.

RESUME SEWING DAYS

The North Gwillimbury Red Cross sewing days will be resumed in the township hall at Belhaven on April 25 and 26.

Barton Catto of Cairncatto has been appointed successor to Montagu C. Norman as governor of the Bank of England.

General Manuel Camacho, president of Mexico, escaped assassination on Monday. A gunman fired a shot which went wild.

Ninety-eight thousand men are needed for Canada's armed forces before March 31 of next year, it has been announced in Ottawa.

The Russian army is continuing in its winning ways on all fronts. A number of German troops are trapped near Odessa, which with other points has been taken by the Red army.

American and British heavy bombers are continuing their massed air raids over enemy territory and yesterday fought their way deep into Germany.

Washington has recognized the "Free French" leadership of General Charles DeGaulle.

TO THE EDITOR

Dear Andy: Yesterday I received my first copies of the "town paper" since arriving in Italy. I had a couple of copies just before we left England but I didn't have a chance to acknowledge same. Thanks a million. It was darn nice to see the local paper again and to know what's going on back in the old hub. I get enough news from home to keep me pretty well up to date but naturally there are lots of things missed.

I was quite interested in reading the write-ups on the local hockey team and was surprised that the town had one this year. It seems a long time since I have seen a game and I certainly miss them a lot. Maybe next year I'll be back to watch the boys go again.

Again many thanks for the paper and here's hoping to be back soon.

Sincerely,
E. McCaffrey.

Staff-Sgt. Ernest J. McCaffrey, March 14, 1944.

(Sgt. McCaffrey's Era and Express goes to him with the compliments of the town of Newmarket).

WILL MEET APRIL 13

The regular monthly meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Rowland, 83 Millard Ave., on Tuesday, April 18, at 8 p.m.

"COMBINED OPERATIONS INCLUDE YOU"



● Invasion demands more action from every fighting service... combined operations. Combined operations include you, too.

Despite the shortage of help and equipment, Canadian farmers have responded nobly to demands for increased production of foods.

But there is one thing on which a better job can still be done.

MORE MONEY is needed to fight a more intensive war.

All Canadians will be asked to furnish this money. It's a duty that we who are at home owe to the men on the fighting fronts.

In these days most farmers have higher incomes... money to save. And that is the job that they are asked to do... save money and lend it to Canada!

You are not asked to give money... just to lend it. When the war is over you'll have this money to "plough back" into your farm. So save now to lend to your country. Save to have money to improve your farm; money for new stock and implements; money for more land or new buildings... for a new car... for new furnishings and conveniences for your home.

All you can lend is little enough for a cause so vital for a need so urgent. And the more that you can

amous for flavour since 1892 — the 'Salada' name assures you of a uniform blend of quality teas. "SALADA" TEA

Montgomery Tells Boys That They'll Go Far

"Received cigarettes from your organization yesterday and was glad to get them as they are mighty scarce over here and I don't like these English cigarettes," Pte. N. D. Wallace writes in a letter of appreciation to the Newmarket Veterans' Soldiers' Comforts fund. "They came in very handy, as I am going on leave next week and I will have plenty of good Canadian

smokes to take with me. News is very scarce and I just want to thank you for the cigarettes." "As you can see, I am once more the lucky receiver of another carton of cigarettes from your organization," writes Sgt. E. Wrightman. "Thanks a lot, they are really appreciated." "I wish to express to you and all the members of the Newmarket Veterans' Soldiers' Comforts fund, writes Sgt. S. A. Dow. "They arrived the day before I went on leave, so I had really good smoking for nine days. I visited Gloucester-

shire again, which is one of the most picturesque places in England." "Your 300 cigarettes arrived this morning," writes Sgmn. E. H. Hargreaves to the Veterans. "Thank you so much for these cigarettes and also for other cigarettes received in the past." "Many thanks for the smokes," writes Pte. A. C. West to the Veterans. "Follow your activities through the local journal. Newmarket boys are seeing some action in Italy. Sorry to learn of young Revill and Woodcock. They were just kids. Give my regards to all the old gang." "Just a few lines to thank you all for the 300 cigarettes which I received on March 18 from you and to let you know how I appreciate the gift," writes Pte. Leslie Rowland. "Glad to know that you are really looking after the boys in that respect by sending cigarettes and also parcels, as I know that all the boys from Newmarket sure do appreciate the wonderful work you are doing and hoping that the people of Newmarket will always back the Veterans to the limit, as you are doing a wonderful job for the boys overseas." "A million thanks for the fags, as they always come in the nick of time and with leave coming up they'll be very welcome," writes L.-Cpl. Don Lyall. "Things over here are the same and it won't be long now till we're all home again." "Many thanks for the 300 cigarettes which I received today," writes Pte. W. G. Shropshire. "I hope I shall be able to thank you all in the not too distant future for these periodical gifts of smokes in person. For now best wishes and good luck." "Thanks a million for the welcome gift of cigarettes, which I can honestly say couldn't come in any better time," writes Sgmn. E. A. Harber to the Veterans. "These days we are very busy with big inspections. The king inspected us a week ago, also the same week General Montgomery came down to inspect us. So we've been in the white and polishing our web every night and being old soldiers. You know how you enjoyed polishing, etc., in the last war." "The Princess Royal is next in line to visit us. So we lie on our beds and receive a cigarette after we've done the night's work." "I was glad to hear and see General Montgomery. He is just like I expected. He pulled up to the car and we were all lined up to get inspected. So he heads for the middle of the field in a jeep. He says to break rank and gather round him. So we do that, and he told us to sit down. He told us he wanted us to get to know him. He said that he wanted to see us as he always likes to look at part of his army before he led us into battle. He was glad to be part of this armored division, he said. Not only that, we came out on top on every scheme we've been on. You have proven you are well trained by beating the English and Polish armored divisions, also the other Canadian armored division now in Italy. You will be a part of the 21st army and we should go far in this war. As soon as the British government feel that the airplanes have broken the morale of the Germans.

"Well, I can honestly say that you can look up in the sky these days and see a lot of planes going and coming from the channel. Once again, I thank you for the cigarettes and paper. Hope very soon I can thank you in person." "I just received the 300 smokes and thanks a lot for sending them as they certainly are looked forward to very much," writes L.-Cpl. C. A. Shropshire. "Give all the Vets. my best regards and wishes." Cards of appreciation have been received from O.D. Herbert Leppard and Spr. E. Thompson.

QUEENSVILLE

Queensville, April 6—Several farmers who have tapped their maple trees are reporting that the weather has not been favorable for a good run of sap. Mrs. Albert Milne celebrated her 80th birthday on Saturday, April 1. In honor of the occasion, her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Pearson, entertained her mother and a few friends at her home. Mrs. James Linskill, who had been staying with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Morton, and had only recently returned to her home, suffered a severe stroke Monday afternoon. She was taken to York County hospital but died without regaining consciousness. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Smith and Doug. were in Toronto on Sunday. Sgmn. Bob Arnold has arrived home from Prince George, B.C., to spend a furlough with his mother, Mrs. Wm. Arnold. In spite of the inclement weather on Wednesday, March 29, a large number of buyers attended the farm sale at Raymond Huntley's. Mr. and Mrs. Cryderman from the Sutton district have rented Mr. Huntley's farm and have taken possession. Mrs. B. Aylward spent a few days in Toronto last week. Mr. and Mrs. Ross Chapman and son, Bruce, who have purchased Mr. James Wright's farm, have moved in and are making extensive improvements. George Wright, a lifelong resident of the Queensville district, died at his home on Friday, March 31. The funeral was held from Strasser's funeral parlors on Monday and was conducted by Rev. Hugh Shannon. Special Easter music is being prepared for the Easter Sunday service in the United church. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be dispensed at the service at 11 a.m. Two new elders will be ordained and admitted as members of the session. Tuesday will be Red Cross packing day. It is urgent that all sewing and knitting be turned in before that time.



BOYS ENJOY TOUR TO RUINS OF POMPEII

"Several weeks ago I had the pleasure of receiving your most welcome gift of 300 cigarettes," writes, Cpl. Jack Luesby to the Newmarket Veterans' Association. "I am sorry that I have delayed in sending my thanks to you, but I have at last made up my mind to do so." "I know that you gets lots of letters from fellows who can express their thanks a lot better than I will ever be able to do, so I will just let the one word 'thanks' do the job for me. But that one word is sincere and I certainly appreciate the work that you gentlemen are doing." "I am writing this letter from Italy. After spending several hectic months in north Africa this is, believe it or not, a relief. Although we are right 'in the thick of things,' it is much better than we have had since our departure from merry England. In Africa we were in tents and how we are in buildings. So that probably explains to you why I feel that we are better off. It is a change to get away from the Arabs who infested the hills surrounding us and to get away from the intense heat and tropical diseases. So, all in all, our new home is much more liked by all of us, but our own homes will always be the best in the world and I hope that we will be able to see them very soon." "Last Sunday a bunch of us took a trip to the ruins of Pompeii and had a very enjoyable time. We had an Italian guide who spoke very good English and he gave us interesting lectures here and there and gave us most of the history of the place. One Roman house is almost perfectly preserved and the original paintings on the wall are something marvelous." "The guide told us that the red colors in the paintings have never been duplicated. Artists from all over the world have tried to find the formula for the color but have never succeeded. There was an artist painting in one of the buildings and his work was certainly good." "We saw the arena where they used to have the lions and the slaves (or whoever it was) fight and it was also interesting. After the tour we visited a nearby cathedral and it is supposed to be the most beautiful in Italy. I don't doubt it for a moment, because I have never seen anything like it. I wish that I could describe these places to you much better than I have, but it isn't in me, I guess. However, I didn't miss very much and will perhaps be able to tell everyone about them when I get home." "Our weather is quite nasty just now. It rains most of the time and is quite cold, but in a month or so it should be a wee bit warmer, so we will just have to wait patiently." "In a letter received recently from home I learned of the two Newmarket boys being lost over here. I was very sorry to hear about that and my deepest sympathies go to the boys' parents. Let's hope that it won't be long before this thing is over, so that there will be no more grief." "Well, I am writing this during 'business' hours and as a little work has piled up for me to do I will try to get it done." "Just a line of appreciation and thanks for the 300 cigarettes I received today," writes Pte. G. D. Tomlinson. "They are the second lot I have received from you since Christmas. Until today I was completely out, buying the odd package from the boys, which are very hard to get, as no one seems to have any at present. The English cigarettes are rationed to 20 a day if you're lucky enough to get them." "If it wasn't for your association and many others such as Red Cross sending extra parcels and cigarettes to us boys, we'd find it much harder and the time would go much slower if we didn't have a few chocolates, cigarettes and canned soups extra to enjoy in our spare time." "Thanks a million for the smokes," writes Cpl. Ken Mitchell. "They couldn't have come at a better time, as I was completely out of cigarettes." "Received your very welcome parcel of cigarettes at a time most needed," writes Pte. J. Blencowe. "It sure helps to be able to have a good Canadian smoke." "Many thanks for your most welcome cigarettes which arrived this week," writes Bdr. R. M. Dixon. "Canadian cigarettes have been very scarce the past few months, so they were doubly welcome. You are certainly doing a fine job in keeping Newmarket boys in smokes. A few weeks ago Ken. Johns arrived out at our

KING SHEEP CLAIM OF \$236 IS PAID BY COUNCIL

King township council met at Sutton's hotel, Schomberg, April 1. After the roll-call, one minute's silence was observed in remembrance of the late C. E. Walkington, a member of the council. Accounts passed for payment included: Wood and Vaughan Telephone Co., clerk's phone, \$11.00; J. H. Sutton, rent, meeting, \$5; Nobleton postmaster, stamps, \$14; H. G. Rose, registrations, January and February, \$5.75; supplies, \$14.85; Wm. Davis, constable's fee and services, \$13.40; department of health, insulin, \$2.83; dog tags, \$25.41; insurance, fire hall, P.V.S., \$9.90; Thos. MacMurchy, long distance phone calls, \$2.41; E. A. Stuckey, supplies, 45 cents; Mrs. J. Foster, flowers, \$1; J. A. Farquhar, regiment and luckily enough ended up in my troop—so you can imagine the talks we have been having. Think everyone in the battery knows where Newmarket is now. It sure is swell to have another home town boy along. Met Wes. Niles on a scheme some time ago and had a short talk with him. "Millions of thanks for the 300 cigarettes that I just received," writes Pte. Jack Williams. "You're all doing a grand job. Keep it up!"

REALIZE \$217 AT RED CROSS AUCTION SALE

Under the leadership of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davison, Keswick, the auction sale, amateur contest, pot-luck supper and dance given by the North Gwillimbury branch of the Red Cross was highly successful. The sale was well contributed to, and with Miss Sedore and Stanley Miller as auctioneers netted a satisfactory sum. At the conclusion of the sale, the president, Mrs. Wm. Vail, briefly thanked all who had given or in any way done anything to make the day a success. An appeal was made for more workers for the branch. It was decided to send cigarettes to all the boys overseas. The women of the township are asked to keep in mind two sewing days at the hall in April. On April 28 there will be a Red Cross dance in the hall at Belhaven. Supper was served to a large crowd. Mrs. W. King and Mrs. C. Grant convened the supper. The vice-presidents of the units, Mrs. Miss Sedore, Mrs. Whitaker, Mrs. T. Johnson and Mrs. Hodgins, were in charge of the arrangements for the supper. Then followed the amateur contest. The master of ceremonies, Wm. Davison, was introduced by Rev. Gordon Lapp. The judges were Mrs. Babb and Messrs. J. Wright and Parkes. The first prize went to the Peters twins, Doug. and Danny, the second prize to Lorne Mainprize, the third prize to Miss E. Marie Kay, Belhaven. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peters received a prize for having the most family present. Mount Albert orchestra supplied the music for the well-attended dance. The Afghan, given by the Mount Pleasant school children, was won by LAC Grant Reddit, who was home on leave. The basket of groceries, given by Reeve Ross MacMillan, was won by Russell Pollock. The merchants of Sutton and Jackson's Point gave generous gifts to the affair. The gratifying amount of \$217 was realized. constable's fee and services, \$15.05; Temperance hall, Kettleby, rent re agricultural short courses, \$10; Community hall, Nobleton, rent re agricultural short courses, \$10. Road voucher 4, \$316.42; relief voucher, \$88.27. The clerk was authorized to accept from the Ontario department of highways a cheque for \$3,016.15, the cash subsidy on the large road grader and maintainer. Elvin Paton, Edward Sullivan and Frank Armstrong were each paid \$2 for killing foxes. Chas. V. McCurdy was paid \$236 for sheep killed by dogs. Norman Hill was paid \$2 for his services as valuator. The meeting adjourned to meet at the Temperance hall, Kettleby, on Saturday, May 6, at 9.30 a.m. or at the call of the chair.

Mayor Hints Old Elm Tree Would Be Better Out Of This World

The big elm tree on Timothy St. was again the subject for discussion at a Newmarket town council meeting last week. Councillor Joseph Vale stated that David Moulds, who lives opposite the tree on Timothy St., had shown him a huge limb which had fallen off the tree. "Anyone walking by would have been killed," said Mr. Vale. "It is dangerous to people walking past." "The Bell Telephone Co. has experts check trees every year and we should spend some money to have the tree checked," said Councillor Frank Bowser, chairman of the road and bridge committee. "Tree experts wanted \$200 two or three years ago to check that tree," Deputy-Reeve Arthur D. Evans told the council. "Do you think the tree is worth the trouble it causes and the blocking of the pavement?" asked Mayor Dr. L. W. Dale. "No, I don't," said Councillor Wm. Dixon. "We should get a tree surgeon to cut out the dead places," was his second thought. Councillor Frank Bowser was authorized to have the necessary work done. The tree is associated with the early history of the town and is said to be the scene of early settlers' trading with Indians. Now is the time to go through the attic or cellar for articles which someone else needs.



Gone Are the Days

when glasses were avoided for fear of detracting from personal appearance. Radiant personality is expressed through the eyes. How can you look your best if eyes are tired and drawn? Scientifically prescribed lenses bring comfort and efficiency to failing eyes... attractive modern frames enhance the personality of the wearer. More important, glasses today restore and preserve the benefits of good vision, add the assurance and confidence impossible without efficient eyesight.



If you've any doubt about your eyes, have them professionally examined without delay.

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Income Tax Returns FOR 1943 MUST BE IN NOT LATER THAN 30TH OF APRIL 1944

1. WHO MUST FILE RETURNS?

If you are single, and your income was over \$660.00—
Or, if married, and your income was over \$1,200.00—
Or if you had tax deducted in 1943—you must file returns.

2. WHAT FORMS TO USE

For income under \$3,000.00 use Form T.1 Special.
For income over \$3,000.00 use Form T.1 General.

3. WHERE YOU CAN GET FORMS

You can get income tax forms from—
1. Post Offices.
2. District Income Tax Offices.

Your early co-operation is requested. Over 2,000,000 Canadians will be filing income tax returns. You can help by getting your forms now, and mailing them promptly.

It is important that income tax returns be filed promptly. First, these returns must be filed to obtain credit for tax deductions. Second, to claim any refund to which you may be entitled. Third, to establish the Savings Portion of your tax, which will be paid back to you with interest after the War.

Make your returns now, but not later than 30th of April to avoid a penalty of 5% of your tax.
The unpaid balance of your 1943 tax may be paid any time before 31st of August WITHOUT PENALTY.

GET YOUR "T.4 SLIP" FROM YOUR EMPLOYER

To get a record of your 1943 earnings and tax deductions, ask your employer for a copy of the "T.4 Slip" he filed with the Government. Do this. It will save you time, and help prevent errors.



"Let's Not Forget Our Lesson, Honey"

TO make sure of real enjoyment in every cup you must use really good coffee! Countless husbands and wives learned this when their supply of coffee was even more limited than it is today.

That's why there are now so many new Maxwell House users who, because of their happy experience with this delicious, fragrant, full-bodied blend, insist on using it always.

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North Gwillimbury Story Drawn From Annals Of Marritts

"One hundred years ago the name of our province was not Ontario but Upper Canada and Quebec province was Lower Canada," William Marritts, Keswick, said in an address before Roche's Point Women's Institute on Tuesday.

"At that time a very arbitrary governor was appointed by the British government and, with the help of the government known as the Family Compact, by high-handed rule caused a rebellion in both provinces. A rather feeble attempt was made to take by force the government house in Toronto. Sufficient is it to say that the laws asked for by those who rebelled have long ago been enacted and all political parties now agree that the laws and principles asked for were what was needed to give us here in Canada a true and just democracy.

"Conditions of even a hundred years ago were still primitive indeed. It is a little over one hundred years ago that my parents came to Canada with their parents, both being about 14 years of age. Father came from Yorkshire and mother came from Cornwall, the two extreme ends of old England.

"They came by sailing vessels," Mr. Marritts said. "One took 11 weeks and the other nine weeks. I just forget which was the longest. Just think of it, one nearly three months and the other two and a quarter months on the ocean. It is quite a contrast with the Queen Mary record time of three days, 21 hours and 48 minutes and by aeroplane in about 11 or 12 hours.

"The only way 100 years ago that a letter could be sent across

the ocean was by those slow sailing vessels but now we have the cablegram and the wonder of all, the radio, when we can sit in our own homes and listen to speakers from all parts of the world. We are certainly living in a wonderful age of the world's history and also, considering this terrible world war, a most terrible age.

"I used to be rather skeptical of that statement in the Bible where it states that at the second coming of the Saviour every eye would see Him and every ear would hear His voice. But now with the modern radio which in the coming years will be made more perfect, my doubts have disappeared and the possibilities and probabilities are that it may and will happen as the Bible says. Every eye in the world and every ear will hear His voice.

"In those early years of 100 years ago our communications were limited indeed. A large percentage of the country was still dense forests.

"The government business was carried on by dispatch runners. A man with a reputation of being a good runner and with the ability to find his way through the woods would be entrusted with important documents to be taken to the cities and towns. Later, when roads were opened up, documents were taken by men on fleet-running horses and later by stage-coach, which would also accommodate a limited number of passengers.

"I wonder if any one of you older ladies will remember when a two-horse stage ran between Newmarket and Sutton. It took the day to make the one-way trip. What a contrast with our

present post office service, when even in our country homes we have our mail delivered daily in our mail-boxes at our gates, and if we wish to send a letter, by air-mail it is only a matter of a few hours for a letter to be sent from one side of the dominion to the other side. When Joy and I visited my son in Edmonton, Alberta, a few years ago, by using air-mail service, Frank could post a letter at three o'clock at Keswick and it would be delivered at my son's address in Edmonton the next day at about the same time in the afternoon. After the war it is said that regular air routes are going to be established all over the dominion.

Foresees Jetway Air Service

"Possibly in a few years if we are in a hurry, we will be able to step into an aeroplane here at Roche's Point or Keswick and in a few minutes be in Toronto. You may smile at this but I believe that it is quite probable that that is what is going to happen. It is said that aeroplanes will be invented and manufactured so that they will not need expensive airfields to land and take off from. I can hardly expect to see that day but I may if I reach the age of Sir William Mulock, who a couple of weeks ago celebrated his 100th anniversary of his birth.

"And now I am going to let you ladies into a secret of mine. It is that I have the ambition also to live to be 100 years old or (a big 'or') die in the attempt, which in all probability I will. You will understand that this is a bit of a joke. A few days ago, in fact, Sunday, Feb. 6, I reached my 85th birthday. So I shall still have 15 years to go to reach the 100 mark.

"We hear a lot about co-operation these days but I think we could go back to the pioneer days and learn a good deal about co-operation, especially on the farms, where logging, bees, house and barn raisings were common. My father had a logging bee at the farm at Keswick shortly after we moved there.

"There were also more social occasions, the corn-husking and

dances were enjoyed after the work was finished.

"And now I think I shall confine myself to our good old township of North Gwillimbury and there is going to be a lot of Marritts in it, too much, you will probably think. However, as most of my information of the early days came from my parents and later, as observed by myself, I don't see how I can help it.

The early residents of the township were nicknamed 'muskies.' That was because there were so many muskrats around the lake and rivers, I guess. The people living in Queensville and Sharon, whenever they would see a wagon or sleigh from North Gwillimbury going through, would say, 'There goes a load of muskrats.'

"Did you know that the original name of Keswick was Dug Hill? Belhaven was Plug Mount and Elm Grove district was known as Gum Swamp. Roche's Point was and is still registered in the registry office at Newmarket as the town plot of Keswick. Roche's Point was among the first places settled around here, for the reason that it was reached from the south by water. When the country north of Newmarket and Holland Landing was a forest, traffic went up the Holland and Bradford rivers to the lake and the first post office in the township was located at Roche's Point, with the name of Keswick, but as the township became settled it was thought that Dug Hill would be more central. So the post office was moved there and retained the name of Keswick. That was how Dug Hill was changed to Keswick.

"It is a little over 90 years since my parents came to North Gwillimbury on the farm on the baseline now occupied by Joel King and family. You will, I presume, know where that is, and the little house has the same outward appearance as when we lived there. I was born there eighty-five years ago Feb. 6 and lived there until I was 11 years old, when I came to live on our farm at Keswick. As I pass the little house, as I occasionally do, I look at it with

the only house on that line that has not been remodelled or replaced by a new one. In fact, I think it is one of the very few in the township that stands as they were 90 years ago.

Recalls Father's Conversion

"It was in this little house that my father was converted. It was on a morning following a class meeting at the Bethel appointment at which he had risen to his feet and told the people that he had made up his mind he would be a Christian. So the next morning he said to himself: 'If I am to be a Christian I should (as the custom was then) as head of the family read a chapter and have prayer with the family, which he proceeded to do. And it was whilst he was praying for forgiveness and help to lead a Christian life that he realized that his sins were forgiven and he was accepted and made happy. That was before I was born. However, my earliest recollections are of father every morning conducting family worship.

"I think I have only been in that little house once since we moved away but since thinking about the old times and preparing this address, I have thought I would like to, and possibly may some day, visit the Kings and ask for the privilege of going into the house.

"In those early days at the close of a series of successful revival meetings I remember people would give the large number of conversions and as an after-thought, of course, there were also a few children. But now the emphasis is being placed in all churches on the early conversion of the children, possibly to the neglect of the adults. My opinion in both cases is that both these things the churches should have done and not have left the other undone.

"When my parents moved to that farm, their house was the farthest east on that road. It was not yet opened up through to Sutton. To go to Sutton, which was their nearest village and post office, they had to come back to the sixth concession and up it to the catering road to Sutton, a distance of six or seven miles, now one and a half miles. Father told me he helped survey the base-line from his place through to Sutton and I guess helped build the first road.

"Roads through the swamps were called corduroy roads and were built by placing logs cross-ways on the road-bed, then brush, and the dirt taken out of each side of the road to make the ditches. Later on, gravel would be added. The road-bed would be very narrow, the dense swamp coming almost up to the road-bed.

"I remember when I was occasionally sent to Sutton how frightened I was. I especially remember on one occasion when it was nearly dark before I got through on my return. I imagined that I saw wild animals with their bright eyes looking at me and, by the way, a bear was once seen crossing the road by somebody.

"For the first two or three years after my parents came to the farm there wasn't any schoolhouse on the base-line. The nearest one was Belhaven school, which was then situated about half-way on the road running west of Bethel church over to the fifth concession. My older sisters had to go a distance of about four miles. But before we, the younger members of the family, were of school age, a schoolhouse was built on the same lot where the more modern buildings stand now.

Families Were Larger

"Families then were not of the modern size, one or two or three, as they are today, but ranged from five or six children to ten or twelve. Consequently the rather small school building was crowded. This was especially true in the winter months, when the older boys, nearly men, attended.

"I tell you it was a man's job to handle the school then. I remember one winter there was a very big young man in attendance and some three or four somewhat smaller young men decided to give him a thrashing. We used to have lots of fights. One day at the noon hour, they waded into him. But the first one that came near enough to the big fellow got a knock-out the first blow and that ended the fight all right. If I remember correctly the young chap had to be carried into the schoolhouse. The teacher, a big strong man, then proceeded to give the others in the fight a thrashing with the beech or maple stick.

"The Bethel church was the only church in the neighborhood and nearly everyone, saint and sinner, attended the services, as it was one of the few opportunities they had to get together for a visit or for anything else. In the summer months, when the horses were working hard, we used to walk to church. From our place, it was a distance of a little over three miles. But in winter we went in sleighs. Then the church would be crowded, especially at the revival meetings.

"There was at that time quite a number of stretches of road running through swamps and woods and on a bright winter day or a bright moonlight night

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"Even the first few years of my life, tallow candles were the only lights that were in use. They were made by pouring hot tallow into molds in which wicks had been hung. My grandmother's candles also were used in stable lanterns. The only light was gotten by opening the door of the lantern. I have rather a disagreeable memory of having to hold the lantern for father to do some of his late chores at the barn and in the cold stables. Contrast that with the lighting systems on many of our farms now, where we can turn a button and have our houses well illuminated by electric light as well as our barns, stables and hen-houses.

When I think of the use of electricity for power on the farm, the contrast is still more marked.

Used the Cradle

"For a number of years after we came to the farm at Keswick, we had to use the old-time cradle for harvesting the crops on a good deal of the farm, which was full of pine stumps. Even after we had a reaping machine we thought we couldn't use it among the stumps but afterwards we did by having a man to cradle roads around the stumps.

"I remember that father one year had 40 acres of fall wheat all in one block on recently cleared land and indeed it was a lovely crop. It had to be cut with cradles. It was easy to find men in those days. Father had hired sufficient men to run five cradles and bind it up—about 13 men. My job was to supply the drinking water, which was no small job. I would be about 14 or 15 years of age and not able to take a man's place.

"I did later wing the old cradle and found it extremely hard work. I think I was never so near being tired out in my life as at the close of a day in which my brother and I had cut about eight acres of fall wheat.

"In the preparation of the land for the seed it had to be ploughed by single plow. Seed was broadcast by hand and harrowed. Occasionally, following a favorable winter, grain could be sowed without plowing, then well harrowed in.

"Quite a proportion of the oats and pea crop was threshed by the old flail, sometimes called a poverty-stick, especially the peas, as the machine would break them badly. We still have one, which I have here on exhibition. Frank used it last fall to thresh beans. Men took the job of threshing peas with the flail, their pay being one bushel in every 12 bushels.

"The first threshing-machines were run by horse power. It took five teams to operate it. They were brought around from farm to farm on two ordinary wagons in summer and fall and on sleds in winter. Both horse power and thrasher had to be unloaded and loaded at each farm. It was an extremely hard job loading them on the wagons. After a hard day's work it was indeed the last straw.

"Later both horsepower and thrasher were built and fastened on a low-wheeled wagon and were operated without unloading them. Later came the steam engine, which could be drawn around by a good strong team.

Each farmer had to go after the machine or take it away to the next farm and then, later still, the big tractor steam engine, which could draw the whole outfit, threshing-machine and water tank, and now the gasoline tractor is being used.

"About the year 1875 we entered into an era of inventions and manufacturing of farm machinery. First, for preparing the land for the seed we had the gang-plows, cultivators, seed-drills and land-rollers, etc. For harvesting the crops we had first the reaper, which was operated by two men, one to drive the horses and the other one to put the grain off in sheaves ready to be bound up. Next was a reaper that would automatically put off the grain in sheaves and then the binder, which had a hard time to get established.

"I remember hearing the older men's criticisms of it. They ridiculed the idea of tying up the sheaves with such small twine. They said the heads of grain would lop over and you couldn't possibly make the sheaves stand up like the sheaves tied with bands of straw.

THEY NEVER GROW OLD

That could be said of a good many things, for there are a great many things that are ageless—the years but add to their enduring beauty and charm.

The Bible is read by more people and in more tongues than ever before. We, ourselves, read it and hear it read over and over, only to discover new beauties and new inspiration.

Plato, Homer, Shakespeare, Browning, Emerson, Tennyson, Longfellow, Dickens, Thackeray and a host of other writers, will live on as long as the English language is spoken and read.

The characters they created never grow old. And what is true of literature is true of music.

Beethoven, Bach, Schubert, Chopin, Gounod, live on in their compositions and every time we hear them and those of others of the old masters we feel anew that they wrote, not for time, but for eternity.

And the same could be said of painting and sculpture. Whether present-day artists are building structures that will defy time to the same extent, only TIME can tell.

But this seems a long preamble to lead up to the fact that we Ingleside folk feel that the Gilbert and Sullivan operas deserve a place among the immortals.

There is something about these operas, that from the moment the overture begins, especially if played by a Gwendolyn Koldofsky, that transport you, by magic carpet, to the scene of the production.

There is a dearth of laughter in the tragedy of the present

bushel.

"I tell people that on our farm I have operated all machines from the cradle up to the combine, which we bought and operated last harvest. I haven't been able to help operate the combine but am well satisfied with its work. However, I believe that after the war it will come into pretty general use, especially on the larger farms.

"Now the great change in harvesting the hay crop, whilst not quite as spectacular, has been quite as effective. Take the up-to-date mowers, sulky rakes and side-delivery rakes and hay-loaders and hay-forks for unloading at the barn. There has altogether been a wonderful advance on the old method of cutting with the scythe and gathering it up with forks and hand rake and pitching it on and off the wagon by hand. Last but not least is the modern tractor which speeds up the operation of all the larger farm implements.

"I have found from the assessment roll of the township for the year 1858 (this being the oldest assessment roll that I could find) that the assessment was only \$84,201, and the assessed value of the township for 1943 is \$2,246,650, quite a contrast you will say. The real value of the property would be very much higher, as it is never assessed at its real value.

Farms Change Value
"I have taken four farms as assessed in 1858 and 1943 as comparison. First farm, 100 acres, 1858, \$400; in 1943, \$3,400. Second farm, 69 acres, 1858, \$275; in 1943, \$3,700. Third farm, 200 acres, 1858, \$600; in 1943, after being sold off till it is 150 acres, \$5,700. Fourth farm, 100 acres, 1858, \$200; in 1943, \$4,400.

"The price of our farm when sold a short time after the grant from the crown was 50 pounds, \$250. There were 200 acres. So that would be \$1.25 per acre. It reached from the fourth concession down to the lake, 25 acres having been sold off on the end next to the fourth concession before we moved to the farm.

"One hundred acre farms were frequently sold or traded for very little, a yoke of oxen or a horse or a couple of cows. I heard an authentic story of a man trading a bush farm for a horse and on the way home it died."

Maple Hill

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"It's such NICE fun," said a fellow-enjoyer to me, at one opera, when he saw how thoroughly my husband and I were enjoying it, and that's just what it is—nice fun.

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The two smiling little boys pictured above are Frederick Arthur, nine months old, and Ronald Ernest, three years old, the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mitchell, Keswick. Photo by Budd.

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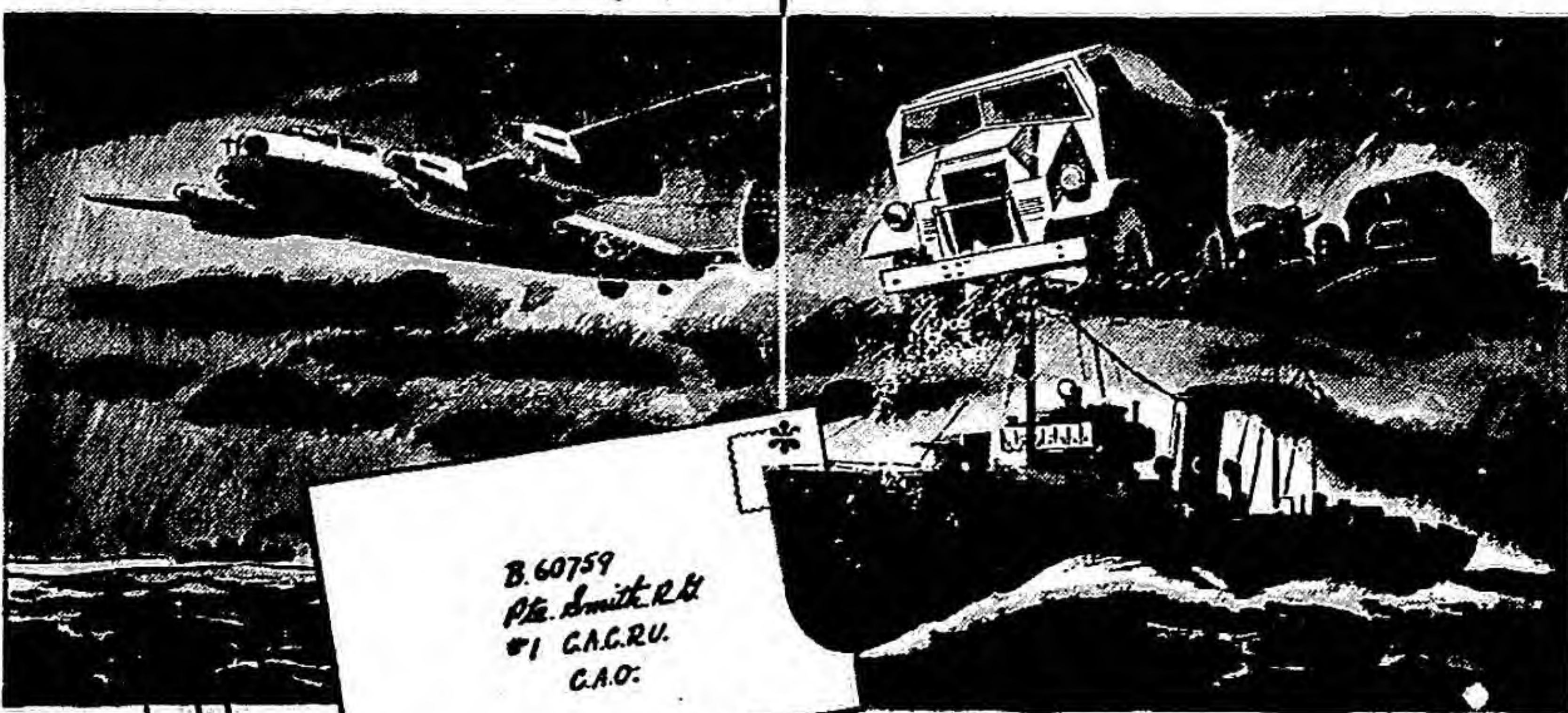
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TWENTY-THREE LAST WEEK

Two boners from the camp quiz on Tuesday seem worthy of note. One trooper was asked, "Where is the Orange Free State?" He answered, "Ireland." When he realized that he was wrong, he hazarded the guess that it was in California! And in an attempt to get a further laugh out of this boner the padre asked a sergeant, as it happened, the same question. He received the same first answer and as a second guess got "Florida." Evidently the orange in this question really gets them.

Another trooper of this armored corps basic training centre said that the letters C.W.A.C. stand for Canadian Women's Armored Corps. The quiz was under the direction and management of L. Cpl. D. Boulton assisted at the mike by Cpl. Durnford. Cpl. Yates again lent his assistance at the blackboard recording the names and points gained by each contestant.

The quiz featured questions from training and general knowledge and tested the ability of six men from squadrons "B" and "D." The squadron won the contest by a 12-10 score over Billington. With Hastings as runner-up, La Plante also gave perfect answers in the quiz, but was eliminated in the final for top honors.

An unusual interlude between the quiz and the stage show was supplied by the playing of the record of Pte. Heber Noseworthy's "Fiery Chariots," an original march composed by him in honor of the armored corps and based on the tank corps regimental call. Pte. Noseworthy gave a resume of the ideas behind the tune and then a second playing of the record was given so that we might hear it again with a better understanding. We congratulate Pte. Noseworthy on the publication of this march. It has a very catchy tune and we think it merits widespread recognition by all hands of His Majesty's forces.

The show itself was by the Research Revellers. They were discovered to be a group of youthful entertainers. Their show was fresh and good. They themselves apologized that through sickness their show was reduced. We noticed no lack in it. We felt it was one of the happiest, fun-making shows that had been seen in this camp for a long time. The singing was good and particularly the singing of Lucia Corcelli, who possesses a lovely contralto voice into which that this will prove of interest to

she is able to put so much feeling. We would have to go a long way to hear "Besame Mucho" sung better than she sang it. Muggins and Toughy supplied quite a few interludes of fun.

Thursday was inter-squadron boxing night. Semi-finals and finals were decided. It was in preparation for the expected visit of Brampton to this camp on the 13th of this month when an athletic night will take place. When the final points for the evening were tallied "D" squadron won the event by 12 points against A's 7, B's 6 and C's 2.

In the bantamweight event Tpr. Luch of "A" won by default. In the featherweight final Teabeau won over Tpr. McKenzie. In the lightweight final, Beaudine of "B" squadron was declared the winner over his aggressive opponent, Carmichael. The latter trusted too much in blind hitting, or so it seemed to us, where we were sitting.

In the welterweight semi-finals Tpr. White of "D" won over Labelle of "A" and LaChance of "B" won over Christliff of "A." In the middleweight semi-finals Culladine of "B" was defeated by Moffatt. Culladine was small but stood right up to his longer-reaching opponent. The decision was in the second round, a T.K.O. Wichman of "D," who looked like a professional and certainly was no newcomer to the art of fisticuffs, defeated Gore of "C" squadron by a T.K.O. in the first round.

In the heavyweight finals Valin of "A" was defeated by Walker of "D" by default. In the final welterweight White defeated LaChance and in the final middleweight Wichman defeated Moffatt. R.S.M. Farrell was referee. Sgt. Casement was time-keeper. Major R. Clarkson, Capt. Peter Kerr, Lieut. R. Kennedy and Lieut. P. Corrigan were judges.

The boxing event drew a large crowd, which goes to show that active participation of the troops in entertainment and sport has a greater appeal than the impersonal shows that come to camp, though these be of an excellent quality.

On Saturday at the canteen the first of a free bingo for the troops was in camp over the weekend took place under the direction of Capt. Pete Kerr, assisted by Cpl. Wilkin. Cpl. Bell and Cpl. Perkins did a great job. Over a hundred took part in this interesting and popular pastime.

On Sunday at the canteen a sing-for-a-plate was held. It is thought lovely contralto voice into which that this will prove of interest to

an increasing number, and fill in a little of the Sunday hours spent in camp by the men and women. It is being held after church time. At a party on Monday in the C.W.A.C. recreation room Sgt. Kay Harvey was honored on the eve of his departure from camp. The colonel expressed regret at his promotion, it being our loss. In the name of the whole camp he gave our best wishes for his future. The entertainment consisted of a sing-song and dance, with refreshments. Music was provided by Tpr. Roy Hickerson and Sgt. Gilkes. On Monday evening at Middlebrook's "D" squadron held a party which was acclaimed as wonderful. Singing, dancing, speeches and refreshments were the order of the evening's fun.

TWENTY-THREE THE WEEK BEFORE

The best yet! That's the way they have been describing the "C" squadron curfew raising party. The capable leadership of "Cecil B. DeMille" (Lieut. Jack Campbell). This all-army effort, practised during the off hours from training, showed real talent and good organization. It looked as though the boys and girls must have used up lots of their spare time to put over this contribution to the evening's entertainment. We are more and more convinced that while excellent shows from the outside are appreciated and give genuine pleasure, yet more pleasure and entertainment are found in these local efforts of the squadrons, for the latter have more personal appeal and the players belong to us.

"C" squadron called their effort "Army Daze." It took a little effort to see the double meaning out at last the day dawned.

So again they pictured a scene in the department of defence with Capt. W. E. Bottrell in the seat of authority, assisted by his charming secretary, L. Cpl. Cowan (C.W.A.C.). This led forward in a natural way, somehow, to a nut-cracking parade with songs and stimulated dance. We would commend highly the verses composed by Lieut. Campbell to the song, "You'll get used to it." We would like to print them here but as it is hoped to use them later, for the present they are right to this camp. We hope to pass them on at a later date. They are worth repeating. They gave us a good laugh. They were sung by the M.C. and his mop-wielding choir of fatigue dancers. Those taking part in this skit included, with those mentioned, Major Swayze, Tpr. E. K. LePage, P. H. Bladlow, E. C. Gardham, J. C. Card, L. C. Christliff, J. L. MacKinnon, J. W. Flagler and A. L. Lemieux.

Cpl. Bell had a conversation with himself over the telephone about some damaged shutter. He finally decided with the shortage of labor during war time and misunderstanding over the phone he had better fix the darned thing himself. An "Air Raid" skit with a black-out and appropriate sound effects gave the setting for a surprising change of gear between L. Cpl. Cowan and "Scotty" Prestwick.

Then Trooper LePage tickled the keys of his accordion and brought out some quick-fingered music to delight the crowd. An original skit entitled "The Piece of Paper," another effort from the pen of Lieut. Campbell, followed. In this Sgt. Stewart, Tpr. LePage, N. Hackney, D. R. Willestone, J. R. V. St. Onge, Major Swayze and Capt. Bottrell had a part.

That we have real singers in the camp was proved when Tpr. De Luca sang two numbers. His singing was excellent. We want to hear him again and soon.

"The Neglected Wife," Cpl. Daley (C.W.A.C.), had enough suitors to fill the stage. Among the many were Cpls. C. Ross, J. Bell, J. Priest and L. Cpl. J. Matheson and last, but not least, Major Swayze. You just can't trust anybody these days.

Yeoman work was done at the piano and I hear at rehearsals, by Sgt. Stewart. Thanks are due to him and Sgt. Hallett, who accompanied the several musical numbers. Excellent back-stage work was done by Lieut. N. Livingston, stage manager, and Lieut. Cottingham, who handled the lights and curtain.

The main show that followed was by the Stephens and Co. "Blockbusters." This aggregation put on a fine little show and revealed fine possibilities. Miss Olive Ward made a fine M.C. She was the little lady with the many dresses. At the piano Stan. Sykes and Clara Habbly divided the accompanying for the show. The program consisted of Hawaiian numbers, a fine Spanish number by Conchita Triana, and a fine skit entitled "Quiet Hotel." Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stephens and Pete McGinn starred in this convincing portrayal of life as it might be found in a nut factory. Chas. Stephens is to be congratulated. Major Adams gave formal thanks to the "Blockbusters" for their happy little show.

"Cometries" are arising all over the camp these days. The padre was asked about them on one occasion by a trooper who did not go up to read the markers, but was curious enough to wonder what they were for. He said he thought they were marking the graves of some camp pets. We would like to inform all and sundry that the markers and tablets are adorned with epitaphs composed by our W.T.O. Capt. W. E. Bottrell, D.F.C. And if any should wonder why an army man should wear an air force ribbon we would point out that our W.T.O. saw action in the last war as an observer in the air force.

Some have suggested that the letters D.F.C. might stand for Darn Fine Composer, since the very practical verses he has composed while taking his W.T.O. job to heart. We append some of his telling verses which carry a moral strictly for a soldier. It is not thought likely that the king will honor Capt. Bottrell by making him the next poet laureate, but his verses have merit in a basic training centre, where such lessons as he seeks to teach need to be learned. All W.T.O.'s' copyright has. There is no charge. Please copy.

will not yet be secured. Will it go off? said Trooper Blunt. He pulled the trigger, the silly runt. His pal, by name of Trooper Blount, Has joined the Canadian Under-ground. Shout of gas, Trooper Blunt, Silly ass, Starts to fumble. Had his breath? No, not him! The padre said, He died in sin. This is the grave of Trooper Sáp, The guy who couldn't read a map. He started out so blithe and gay, Over the hills and far away. Like a foolish virgin without a lamp, He starved in an internment camp.

Consider the case of Trooper Daft, He snoozed through a lecture on enemy aircraft. He heard a plane and raised his pan, And then that horrible Nazi man Put a bullet Down his gutlet.

Stop press news! Quick recognition for this fine composing has come in. The composer of these lines above is now wearing a crown on his shoulder. Congratulations, Major Bottrell.

One trooper has learned that the old adage that "two can live as cheap as one" is all bologna. Tpr. Ken Falls and his wife are being congratulated on the birth of twin boys. Falls can hardly keep his mind on his button snoring or passing out cigars to congratulating sympathizers. We understand that the subtle way he broke the news to them was by handing out first one cigar and then a second. Most all caught on quickly.

Wedding bells were ringing over the weekend for Lieut. Don Carswell and L. Cpl. Bernice Payne. The ceremony took place on Saturday, March 22, at St. Peter's Anglican chapel. Lieut. Art. Vale was groomsmen and Cpl. Phyllis Daley was bridesmaid. L. Cpl. Carswell still wonders what her name is, and she notices that when anyone wants something it is still to "Payne" they make their requests. Congratulations and all good wishes to you both.

A maroon colored backing to an extra pip on Capt. J. S. Quigley, the R.M.O. was now a captain. We welcome once more to the mess Lieut. Art. Bacon, who has returned from sick leave to continue his work as troop leader. He looks none the worse for wear, feels fine and is very much ready for work after his six or seven weeks of inactivity.

Pte. Heber Noseworthy Recently in the linked training set-up the Newmarket basic training centre became attached to the Canadian armored corps. In honor of our talented bugler, Pte. Heber Noseworthy, an L.T.C.L. composed a fine march entitled "Fiery Chariots," dedicated to the armored corps. The march deserves wide recognition.

It is unique in that it is built around the "Tank Corps School, Regimental Call." The introduction opens with the call in three-part harmony by cornets, followed by a burst of machine and tank guns produced by the percussionists. The call is then repeated on the dominant seventh chord, representing the second regiment forming line. This is followed by the high reeds in a descending chromatic passage to effect the screech of shells, while the remainder of the band moves oblique to produce the effect of commotion. This passage finishes the introduction with full band on a full dominant 13th chord, sforzando, and of staccato duration to effect the burst of a shell. The first stanza then features the regimental call interspersed in an original melody. The march continues in usual march form.

Pte. Heber Noseworthy took the L.T.C.L. bandmaster while stationed at Stanley barracks with the No. 2 depot band in December, 1942. He was the first Canadian to complete the test, which gained for him the degree. A musician all his life, he started to play in public when he was four and a half years old. He was taught music and bands in Newfoundland, Canada and the mid-western U.S.A. Shortly after the last war he studied harmony and orchestration with the Chicago University Extension Conservatory, where he gained his first teacher's diploma.

Pte. Noseworthy has written several band selections and marches. Shortly after the last war he wrote a march which he entitled "The Battle of the Somme." He had first-hand knowledge of this battle, having been in the big push which began in July, 1916. All but 66 of his battalion were killed or wounded. He was among that 66. Last year he wrote a march which he called "Stanley Barracks," which has become popular among bandmen who have played it or heard it played. Several programs in and around Toronto have featured it.

Another of his popular marches is the "Golden Stairs," played by the Toronto Scottish band upon the occasion when Pte. Noseworthy was guest conductor. Several choral numbers have been composed by him also, among them the 136th psalm set to harmony for full choir.

None of Pte. Noseworthy's music has been published except this latest composition, "Fiery Chariots." This, with all the other marches he has written, gives consideration to all members of the band, so that each has an interesting part. All his marches are street playable in an easy-flowing, inspiring rhythm. Records of the march have been made. It is expected that at an early date the playing of it will form part of a certain rouser in camp. It is hoped that a brass band under the leadership of Pte. Noseworthy may be formed in the near future.

VISITORS ARE INTERESTED IN SPEECH CORRECTION Little Miss Marilyn Woods, her teacher, Mrs. J. C. Sutherland, her father, R. Woods, and her grandfather, Mr. Lewis, Pakenham, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bowman, Newmarket. Mrs. Sutherland was interested in the course which Mrs. Bowman is teaching to children who suffer from a defect in their hearing or speech.

WILLOW BEACH

Mr. and Mrs. Acil Chapman's baby son, born on Sunday, April 9, at Sutton Private hospital, died shortly afterwards.

Harold Wilkinson, R.C.A.F., was home over the weekend.

Miss Mildred Young is home for the Easter holidays.

The Boys' Comforts club held their meeting at Mrs. John McNeill's on Wednesday.

Mrs. Cecil McNeill and family are visiting Mrs. McNeill's father, Mr. Harry O'Dell.

A number of summer residents were up over the Easter weekend opening their cottages and getting ready for the coming season.

LOCAL MARKET

Eggs were 35 cents a dozen for large, 30 cents for medium and 27 cents for small on the local market on Saturday morning.

Butter was 40 cents a pound. Chickens were 35 cents a pound. Fowl were 28 cents a pound. Turkeys sold for 40 cents a pound.

Potatoes were \$1.85 for a 75-lb. bag. Sauerkraut was 15 cents a quart.

TORONTO MARKETS

Butter, creamery solids No. 1, was 35 cents a pound on the Toronto markets on Tuesday. First grade creamery prints were 36 1/2 cents a pound.

Country dealers were quoted on graded eggs, cases free, delivered to Toronto basis, as follows: A large, 35 cents a dozen; A medium, 33 cents a dozen; and A pullets, 28 cents a dozen.

Nominal prices to the shipper for poultry were: spring broilers, 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 pounds, 28 cents a pound; fowl, over 5 pounds, 26 cents a pound; chickens, over 5 pounds, 30 cents a pound. Milk-fed "A" grade on spring broilers and chickens was two cents a pound more.

Prices in the cattle section included: weighty steers, \$11 to \$12.25, with one top load \$12.60; butcher steers, \$10.25 to \$11.75; heifers, mostly \$11.50 down; fed yearlings, \$11.50 to \$13; butcher cows, mostly \$7.25 to \$8.75; conners and cutters, \$5 to \$7; bulls, \$7 to \$9.

Good to choice vealers were \$14.50 to \$16, with common to medium \$8 to \$14.

Western lambs were \$14.25 for the best grades with culls at \$11. The few local sheep were \$3 to \$5.

Hogs sold at: Grade A, \$17.65 to \$17.25, dressedweight, with culls at \$13.25, dressed.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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—Mr. Chas. Jamieson of the high school staff is spending the Easter holidays at his home in Hartington.

—Miss Evelyn Graham of the public school staff is spending the Easter holidays at her home in Tottenham.

—Mr. Albert Topham spent the weekend at his home in Brampton.

—Miss Olive Eves spent the weekend visiting friends in Ottawa.

—Mrs. Isabelle Garrioch and daughter, Jane, Toronto, spent the Easter weekend as guests of Mrs. Garrioch's sister, Mrs. R. D. Brown, and Mr. Brown.

—Mrs. J. E. Brownridge is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. T. Bennoch, and Mr. Bennoch, Toronto.

—Miss Hazel Hamby of the public school staff is spending the Easter holidays in Montreal.

—Major and Mrs. N. F. Johnson, Aurora, spent Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Gilroy. Major Johnson is stationed at Camp Borden.

—Miss Isabel Sheridan, Toronto, spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. Gordon Manning, and Mr. Manning.

—Donald Brown is spending the Easter holidays in Toronto visiting relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Burke, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. Burke's sister, Mrs. Wm. McClymont.

—Mrs. Walter Hopper and son, Bryan, and Miss Paula Cyr, are visiting their mother, Mrs. Leonard Cyr, Noranda, this week.

—Mrs. Bertha Bain and Miss Doris Young, Toronto, spent the weekend at Miss Young's home.

—Mr. Alfred Tanner, Toronto, spent the weekend with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Eves.

—Miss Rita Kirk, Toronto, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Rose Kirk.

—Dr. and Mrs. G. E. Reaman and daughter, Elaine, Guelph, were Easter weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mailand.

—Mrs. Harry Bolton, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Watts.

—Mr. and Mrs. Evan Cruickshank, Toronto, spent the Easter weekend with Mrs. Cruickshank's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bothwell.

—Mr. and Mrs. Bert Tait and daughter, Sheila, Stouffville, spent the weekend with Mrs. Tait's sister, Mrs. C. A. Andrews, and Mr. Andrews, Sheila remaining for the week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Apps and family and Mrs. Apps' mother, Mrs. Christina Dadds, Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. Apps' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Apps.

—Miss Anna Lewis, St. Thomas, Sgt. Mrs. Bruce E. Lewis, Dorval, Que., Mr. Edward A. Lewis, Cochrane, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Shackleton (nee Beth Lewis), Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Lewis.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Prest spent the weekend in Oshawa as guests of Mr. Prest's sister, Mrs. David Cameron, and Mr. Cameron.

—Miss Helen Blindauer, Port Elgin, spent the Easter weekend a guest of Misses Connie and Pearl Smith.

—Miss Alice Mills, Toronto, spent the Easter weekend a guest of her sister, Mrs. Henry Edwards.

—Misses Clara Stark, Hilda Tumelly, Marjorie Smith and Betty McHale spent Easter weekend as guests of Mrs. John Fox, Kitchener.

—Mrs. M. L. Attrill and daughter, Barbara, Richmond Hill, spent the weekend with Mrs. Attrill's sister, Mrs. Basil McHale, and Mr. McHale.

—Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Beckett, Queensville, spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Beckett's mother, Mrs. W. R. Ashenhurst.

—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Muma, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. Muma's mother, Mrs. W. C. Henry.

—Mr. and Mrs. Murray MacBride and Bobby, Montreal, are spending this week visiting Mr. MacBride's mother, Mrs. J. A. MacBride.

—Mr. and Mrs. V. Pearson and family, Toronto, spent Good Friday with Mrs. Pearson's mother, Mrs. J. Keetch.

—Miss Charlotte Thompson, Toronto, Tpr. Archie McIntyre, Camp Borden, and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Coles and son, Richard, Willowdale, were Easter Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harper Price.

—Mr. and Mrs. David Moore, Downsview, and Miss Joyce Elphinstone, Weston, spent the Easter weekend with Mr. Moore's sister, Mrs. Richard Callaghan, and Mr. Callaghan. Joyce remained with her aunt and uncle for the Easter holidays.

—Mr. Fred Blencowe, Toronto, spent Good Friday afternoon with his sister, Mrs. Annie Cowan.

—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Benn and children of Crumlin spent the Easter weekend with Mr. Benn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Woodruff.

—Miss Lois Pemberton is spending a week at Brownhill visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Harold Pemberton.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Clarke, Galt, and their young son, are spending a couple of days with Mrs. Clarke's mother, Mrs. Arthur Winn. Miss Carol Nann, Toronto, is also a guest of Mrs. Winn, her grandmother.

—Miss Lois Charron, Ottawa and Toronto, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Fred Lewis, and Mr. Lewis.

—Mr. Orvis A. Kennedy, Edmonton, Alta., was a weekend guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boyd.

—Miss Blanche Pearson, Toronto, spent the Easter weekend with her sister, Mrs. H. W. Armstrong.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gamble returned last Thursday from Miami, where they spent the winter.

Ravenshoe

The W.A. will hold its monthly meeting and tea on Wednesday, April 19, at the church. There will be a Red Cross quilting in the afternoon.

The W.M.S. met at the home of Mrs. Merton Rutledge on Wednesday.

Mrs. Harry Barker is visiting in Newmarket and Toronto.

Mrs. Ted Breen's mother, Mrs. Chas. Rose, died last week after a lengthy illness.

Mr. Albert Laws and a friend spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Laws.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shaw have moved to Oakville.

NOTICE

The Council

OF THE

Town of Newmarket

IS DESIROUS OF TENDERING

A RECEPTION

TO EVERY NEWMARKET MAN OR WOMAN, BOY OR GIRL

serving overseas in His Majesty's Canadian Active Service Force on his or her return

Every relative or friend is accordingly requested to hand in to the Town Clerk's Office, Telephone Number 105, the name of such person and the date that he or she arrived or will arrive back home.

As the Council is anxious that no person be overlooked, the co-operation of every relative and friend in giving the names to the Town Clerk's Office is earnestly requested.

ARTHUR D. EVANS, L. W. DALES, M.D.,
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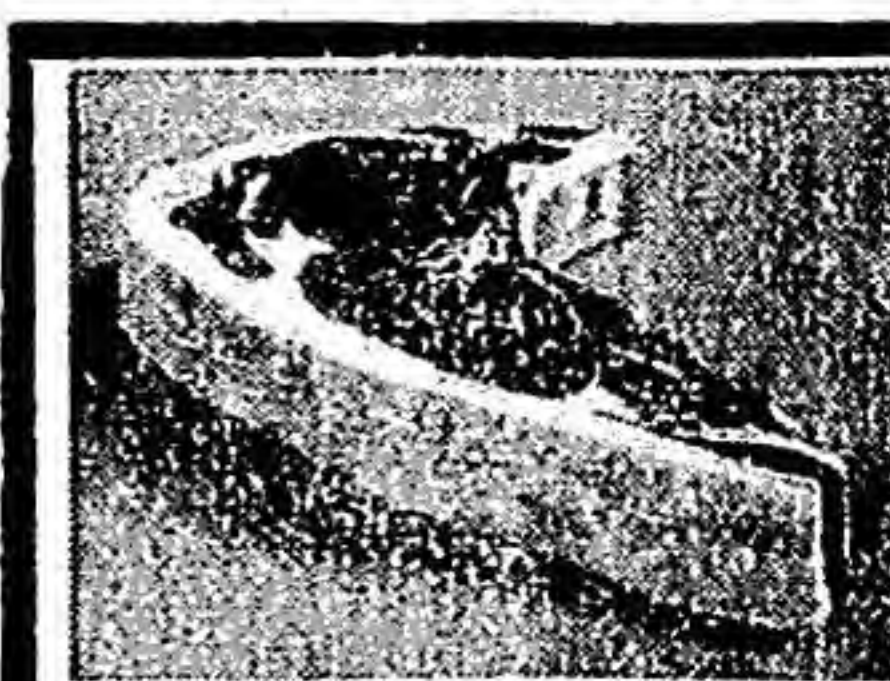
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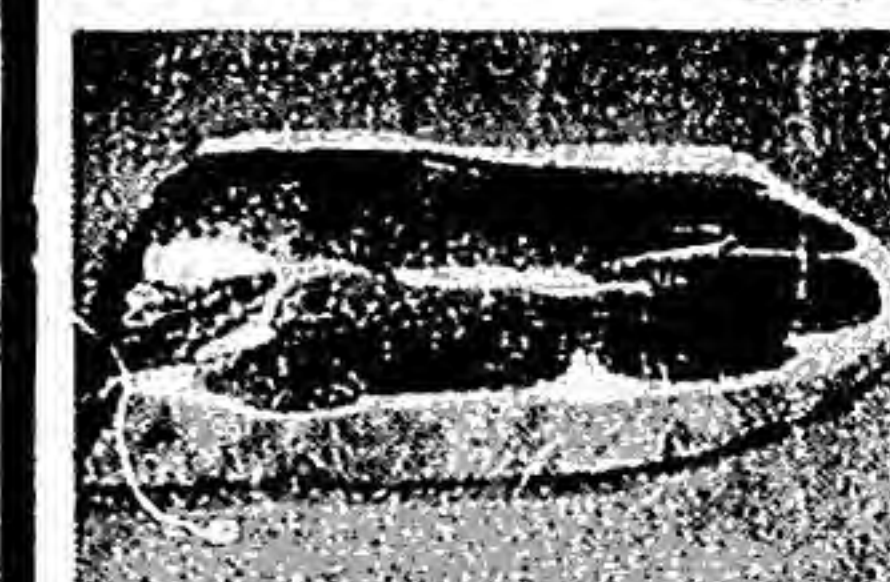
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CLASSIFIEDS - PHONE 780

CLASSY FLIER GETS INTO CLASSIFIEDS

Thirty contestants sent in correct answers to last week's scrambled word contest. The non-winning correct answers will be kept for use in breaking future ties.

Marion Rose, Mrs. Mary Godson, 17 Queen St. E., Mrs. C. Phipper, 15 Ontario St. W., Mrs. Wm. Bray, 131 Main St. W., and Mrs. Arthur Brice, 79 Andrew St., all of Newmarket, are this week's five winners. They may pick up their prizes any evening at the Strand theatre.

The winners have their choice of the program at the Strand theatre on Tuesday, April 18, when Joan Crawford and Fred MacMurray star in "Above Suspicion," and Richard Arlen and Mary Beth Hughes star in "Timber Queen," or on Thursday, when Alice Faye, Carmen Miranda, Phil Baker and Benny Goodman and his orchestra star in "The Gang's All Here," and John Lital and Florence Rice star in "Boss of Big Town."

The correct answers were: ignition, applications, furniture, splendid, catalogue, locality, preparation, examined, laboratories and capacity.

THIS WEEK'S CONTEST

The five winners of this week's contest will receive double passes to the Strand theatre for Tuesday, April 25, when Kathryn Grayson, Gene Kelly, Mary Astor and John Boles are among the stars that will be seen in the musical feature in technicolor, "Thousands Cheer," or on Thursday, April 27, when Bette Davis, Miriam Hopkins, Gig Young and John Loder star in "Old Acquaintance," and the added feature is "The Unpublished Story."

Contestants are asked to please send in their entries on a slip of paper four by two and a half inches (4"x2½"). Only one entry will be accepted from any one family and the entry must be in the contestant's own handwriting. Answers must reach The Era and Express office by 9:30 Tuesday morning.

This week the puzzle editor has scrambled ten classified words. One extra letter has been added to each word. When the extra letters are put together they form the name of a distinguished flier. Here they are: GISENCELE, RODORCAH, RET-ABESTIE, DICAREDECT, RD-OCBOVE, SOSANDETR, SHON-ESAR, DILUNGNIK, ECITVFG-PEE, NOHREIE.

STREAMLINED

"Say," said the woman customer over the phone, "the next time I order chicken don't send me any more airplane fowls!"

"What do you mean—airplane fowls?" asked the butcher.

"You know what I mean; all wings and machinery and no body!"

SALE REGISTER

Friday, April 14—Auction sale of household furniture, consisting of Findlay Oval cook stove, like new, Quebec range, oak dining-room suite, two 3-piece walnut and oak bedroom suites, bed, bedding, kitchen chairs and table, kitchen cabinet and numerous other articles, the property of Wm. Black, at the town hall, Newmarket. Sale at 1 p.m. Terms cash. Stanley Miller, auctioneer. c1w11

Saturday, April 22—Auction sale of farm stock, implements, etc., the property belonging to the estate of the late Geo. E. Wright, lot 23, rear 2nd con., township of East Gwillimbury, one-half mile north of Queensville, on the highway. Sale at 1:30 p.m. Terms cash. J. L. Smith and Clarence Wright, executors. J. F. Kavanagh, auctioneer, phone 105, Queensville. c2w11

Saturday, April 22—Auction sale of household effects, also one Jersey cow, property of T. F. Webster, Glenville. Sale at 2 p.m. Terms cash. F. N. Smith, auctioneer. c2w11

Wednesday, April 26—Auction sale of dairy cattle, farm implements and household effects, the property of Carl C. Anderson, to be sold at lot 7, con. 4, Georgina township, ½ mile north of Egypt Corners. The cattle offered in this sale are all negative to test and all high producers. Sale at one p.m. Terms cash. Stanley Miller, Zephyr, auctioneer, Charlie Anderson, clerk. c3w10

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS

IN THE ESTATE OF JOHN ROBERT Y. BROUGHTON, LATE OF THE TOWN OF NEWMARKET, DRUGGIST (RETIRED), DECEASED.

Creditors and others having claims against the Estate of the above named deceased are required to send full particulars of the same to the undersigned, Solicitor for the Executor of the last Will and Testament of the deceased, on or before the 29th day of April, 1944, after which date the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to claims of which he shall then have notice.

Dated this 29th day of March, 1944.
C. T. EVANS,
Solicitor for the Executor.

WANT-ADS

The rate for "classifieds" is 50 cents for 25 words for one insertion; 65 cents for two insertions; 75 cents for three insertions. For over 25 words, each additional word, one insertion, one cent; additional insertions, one-half cent per insertion. Deduct 25 cents for payment within a week. Ten cents for the use of a box number; ten cents for mailing replies.

4 REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

For sale—2½ acres, more or less. Frame house, 11 rooms. Hydro. New barn, 20 ft. by 30 ft. Garage. Two hen houses, one 12 ft. by 30 ft. and a smaller one. Apply 38 Timothy St. W., Newmarket. *1w10

5 FOR SALE OR RENT

For sale or rent—Young apple and pear orchard adjoining Pickering college. Trees in full bearing. Raspberries, black currants. Large garden planted last autumn. Apply E. F. Streeter, first door south of Pickering college, Newmarket. *1w11

8 FARM WANTED

Wanted to rent—Farm. Approximately 100 acres, in general locality of North York, for mixed farming. Immediate possession. Careful operator. Write Era and Express box 811. *2w10

68 WANTED TO RENT

Wanted to rent—Small house in or near Newmarket. Apply Era and Express box 812. *1w11

12 ROOMS FOR RENT

For rent—Two or three rooms. Furnished or unfurnished, with bath. Nice location on main highway. Phone Newmarket 51w3.

For rent—Two nice furnished housekeeping rooms. Newly decorated. All conveniences. Apply 8 Lydia St., Newmarket, or phone Newmarket 165w. c1w11

For rent—Large front room. Suitable for housekeeping. Apply Era and Express box 807. *1w11

15 BOARDERS WANTED

Boarders wanted—Comfortable home. All conveniences. Enquire 32 Ontario St. W., Newmarket, or write post office box 297. *3w10

17 ARTICLES FOR SALE

For sale—Lawn rollers, culvert tile. Lorne Baker, 87 Eagle St., Newmarket, or G. W. Baker, Gormley. *2w11

For sale—Heintzman piano. Phone 533, Newmarket. c1w11

For sale—Dining-room suite, bedroom suite, Quebec cook stove, bicycle, other furniture, all in good condition. 206 Main St., Newmarket, phone 162j. c1w11

For sale—One saxophone (alto), one car radio, Philco, both in A1 condition. Apply Mrs. J. H. Sutton, Victoria St., Aurora. *A1w11

For sale—Two new two-volt battery radios. New batteries. Theaker & Son, Mount Albert, or phone Mount Albert 3503. *3w11

For used furniture, stoves, ice boxes, beds and springs go to Sewrey's, opposite theatre, Bradford. *4w11

For sale—Chesterfield suite and dining-room suite. Also small kitchen stove. Apply Mrs. E. Gardner, Second St. north, Newmarket. *3w11

For sale—One wooden bed, springs and mattress. Sell reasonably. Apply 46 Millard Ave., Newmarket, or phone 280. c1w11

For sale—An organ, six octave. In good condition. Apply to Mrs. W. B. Fairbairn, Sharon. *1w11

For sale—One girl's coat, size 18. Good as new. Color fawn. Cheap. Apply P.O. box 63, Newmarket. *1w11

For sale—Coffin electric ironer. In use two months. In new condition. W. Vall, Keswick. *2w10

For sale—One Beatty electric ironer. Covered model. In good condition. Apply Mrs. Wm. Wrightman, R. R. 2, Newmarket, phone Newmarket 21w11. c3w10

For sale—McClary's range, good condition, splendid baker. Also number of mechanic's tools; some precision tools. All in good condition. Any or all of above articles may be seen at 25 Niagara St. any day or evening up to 8:30 o'clock. Miss Mary McAfee, phone Newmarket 453. c2w10

For sale—Black sable (opossum) jacket. Good as new. Phone Newmarket 731w, or enquire 22 Niagara St., Newmarket. c3w9

17A PRODUCE

For sale—Irish Cobbblers and Dooly potatoes. High quality. Apply M. Cohn, Cedar Valley. *2w9

For sale—Cobbler potatoes. Walter Warren, R. R. 1, Mount Albert. *1w11

17B MERCHANDISE

Oh! My, yes!—People may more than ever they are finding it profitable to shop at Insley's, and easy-to-choose-from, well-displayed, assorted stocks. If merchandise is available, Insley's have it. c2w9

Trappers—High rubber boots at Insley's. Are you prepared to start

the season? Only 15 pairs available. Act quickly if interested. c1w11

Hats—Note the smartly dressed young men are buying their tan-brake shade Morgan hat from Insley's. Say! Are they ever smart! See for yourself. c1w11

Raincoats—At Insley's. Prepare yourself for wet days ahead. Men's and boys' trench coats, weed coats and fine quality Egyptian cotton double-duty coats. c1w11

Mothers—Stop! Look! Children's tweed topcoats and caps to match in grey and brown shades. Ages 3 to 8 years, at Insley's. c3w11

Work shirts—At Insley's. Extra strong and durable. Men's khaki work shirts. Will out-wear and out-line two ordinary shirts. It's quality. c1w11

Rubber knee boots—At Insley's. Special sale Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Sale price \$2. Men's. Size 10 only. Hurry down. c1w11

Shoes—Whether it's oxfords or boots for dress or work for men or boys, Insley's have the merchandise. c1w11

18 ARTICLES WANTED

Wanted to buy—Child's rocking-horse chair. Write Era and Express box 813. *3w11

Wanted to buy—Girl's spring coat, 4 to 5 years, dark shade preferred. Also play-pen. Write P.O. box 658, Newmarket. *1w11

Wanted to buy—Pair of roller skates. In good condition. Phone Newmarket 278w. *1w11

19A USED CAR WANTED

Wanted to buy—Cars. Cash for any make or model. Stout's Garage, Aurora. c1w9

Wanted to buy—Ford cash. Good used cars, any make, any model. Phone 777 Newmarket. t149

22 HELP WANTED

Help wanted—Female. Part or full time for local restaurant. Apply at Selective Service office, Newmarket. c1w11

24 LOST

Lost—AA gas ration book. License No. 2606. Finder please return to Milton Leppard, 214 Main St., Newmarket. c1w11

Lost—1943 license plate, No. J2484, on the Ravenshoe and Queensville mail routes on Saturday. Finder please leave at Burkholder's store, Queensville, or telephone Burkholder's store. *1w11

27 FARM ITEMS

For sale—10 tons first quality Red Clover hay, 3 tons alfalfa. Apply Percy Cadden, R. R. 2, Bradford. *1w11

For sale—Have you bought your new harness yet in preparation for spring work? If not, get your order in now. 10 percent off during April. Wolfe's, 44 Main St., Newmarket. *2w10

Wanted—Dead horses and cattle, for free pick-up. Phone Newmarket 79. We pay phone charges. Gordon Young Ltd., Toronto. Phone AD. 3635. c1w9

For sale—Hay. Also two-furrow tractor plough. Douglas Pottinger, Sharon, R. R. 2. *3w9

28 LIVESTOCK FOR SALE

For sale—One registered Ayrshire cow. Fresh. Herd fully accredited. Apply Morley Cook, Armitage, or phone Newmarket 33w3. c2w11

For sale—Two purebred Yorkshire sows, due June 10, priced \$50 each, registered. Boar, ready for service, 1400. Geo. Percy Doner, R. R. 2, Newmarket, or phone Newmarket 202j4. *2w11

For sale—Seven young sows, coming in. Nine suckers, ready to wean. Young bull, dark red. Team bay geldings, 6 and 7 years old, sound and good in all harness. Apply Harvey Gibney, Holt. *2w11

For sale—Eight pigs. Seven weeks old. Ivan Fairbairn, Sharon. *1w11

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For sale—Young purebred Yorkshire boars and gilts. Perry F. Finch, R. Keswick. c2w10

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For sale—Hardwood and cedar kindling. Cut in stove lengths. Delivered. Apply Garnet Fairbairn, Sharon, or phone Queensville 1709. c1w11

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33 PEIS

Would like good house for dog. Sells dog for farm. Police and collar. Apply Mrs. John Eustace, 129 Main St., Newmarket. c1w11

In Memoriam

Babb—In ever loving memory of my dear son, Jack Babb, who passed away April 14, 1935. Memories are very precious. —Mother.

Bligh—In proud and loving memory of our dear beloved son, Sgt. Observer William Gerald Bligh, who lost his life in action April 11, 1943, and was buried in the Civil cemetery, Rocquigny, France. Also in memory of the other four members of his crew who died with him.

Don't worry, Mother, I'll be back. We're his last parting words. As he bade us farewell. A beautiful memory dearer than gold. Of a son whose worth can never be told.

Alone unseen, he stands by our side. And whispers, don't grieve dears, death cannot divide. Deep in our hearts a memory is kept. Of one we loved and can never forget.

And although the years be they many or few, Will be years of remembrance, dear son, for you.

So sadly missed, Mother and Dad.

Bligh—In proud and loving memory of our dear brother, Sgt. Observer William Gerald Bligh, who lost his life in action April 11, 1943.

When evening shades are falling And we sit in quiet alone, To our hearts there comes a longing if dear Gerald could only come home.

God knows how much we miss him, He counts the tears we shed, And whispers, "Hush, he only sleeps."

Your brother is not dead. Lovingly remembered by brother, Grant, and sister, Lois.

Bligh—In loving memory of a dear mother, Mrs. Margaret Bligh, who passed away April 12, 1923.

We cannot clasp your hand, Mother dear; Your face we cannot see; But let this little token Tell that we still remember thee.

Sadly missed by Orval, Ruby and brother, John.

Bligh—In loving memory of my dear mother, Mrs. Margaret Bligh, who passed away April 12, 1923.

When all is still and silent And sleep forsakes my eyes, My thoughts are in the silent grave Where my dear mother lies.

Nothing can ever take away The love a heart holds dear, Fond memories linger every day, Remembrance keeps you near.

Lovingly remembered by daughter, Grace.

Somerville—In ever loving memory of a dear wife and mother, Mrs. Charles Somerville, who passed away on April 15, 1931.

We who loved you, sadly miss you, As dawn another year; In our lonely hours of thinking, Thoughts of you are ever near.

Always remembered and sadly missed by her sorrowing husband and family.

BIRTHS

Anderson—At York County hospital, Saturday, April 8, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Anderson, Aurora, a son.

Brooks—At York County hospital, Wednesday, April 12, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. John Brooks (nee Amy Caldwell), Newmarket, twin boys, April 12.

Keir—At York County hospital, Tuesday, April 11, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. James Keir, Mount Albert, a son.

Osterhuis—At York County hospital, Friday, April 7, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Stofor Osterhuis, R. R. 2, Newmarket, a son.

Pemberton—At York County hospital, Wednesday, March 22, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pemberton, Brownhill, a son.

Wright—At York County hospital, Thursday, April 13, to Mr. and Mrs. Noble Wright, Aurora, a son.

DEATHS

Gibney—At the residence of her brother, James H. Gibney, 43 Gorman St., Newmarket, on Friday, April 7, 1944, Mary Jane Gibney, daughter of the late Charles and Elizabeth Gibney.

The funeral service was held in the chapel of Roadhouse and Rose on Monday afternoon. Interment Newmarket cemetery.

Hutt—At Kettleby, on Wednesday, April 5, 1944, Robert Harold, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Harold Hutt, in his fourth month.

MacLeod—Suddenly, at Schomberg, on Wednesday, April 5, 1944.

Dr. Angus Henry MacLeod, husband of Isabel Fox and father of Shirley, Jean and Joan, aged 51 years.

The funeral service was held at St. Mary Magdalene's Anglican church, Schomberg, on Saturday afternoon. Interment Schomberg cemetery.

O'Reilly—At his home, 78 Harvard Ave., Toronto, on Monday, April 10, 1944, Arthur O'Reilly, husband of Elizabeth Jackson, former G.G.R. conductor, Hamilton, Ont.

The funeral service was held in Toronto on Wednesday afternoon. Interment Newmarket cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all who were so kind and helpful, also for cards, letters, flowers and fruit sent in during the recent illness in our home, and for the earnest prayers of Christian friends. God answers prayer.

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DOWN THE CENTRE

At the Aurora Ordnance Depot, Sgt. Major Amby Cotton and Herbie Holman have been planning a big year in soccer. Unlike last season, the boys will not have to start from scratch. There are soccer boots on hand, and the nucleus of a strong team from last season's 11. Once the town park dries up the boys will be booting the oval pigskin about and planning a series of games for the season. There is no reason why Sisman's and Collis Leather can not produce teams, for soccer is one game some of the older fellows can still play as well as the young bloods.

Newmarket camp is again entered in the Toronto and District League. No. 22 barely missed making the play-offs last season. In all, Newmarket used a total of 29 different players last season. This year's rules call for a 20-player limit, but we fail to understand how this can apply to service teams, since their personnel must necessarily change from time to time. So far 17 teams have been entered, with Newmarket, District Depot and Toronto R.C.A.F. representing the armed forces. The groupings have not yet been made. C.S.M. Henry Sheppard, one of the team's big boosters, will be missing, but C.S.M. "Flicker" Bowman can be depended upon to train the boys and be chief booster.

Softball for the district appears to be unsettled. Richmond Hill Roses, the district's civilian title holders of last season, will definitely be playing senior ball in Toronto this year. In either the Wantless or Davisville circuits. This is a step Manager Charlie Ryan and his associates have been threatening to take for some time. The Hill boys will use their own players and are counting upon using Charlie Case and Will. White from the Ordnance Depot.

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along with L-Cpl. "Joint" McComb, now at Brampton camp. The Hill lads will do well financially in the Toronto league and of course will be able to add to their roster from the teams who performed in the district league last year.

Aurora will perhaps see the revival of the town league. Ordnance Depot, which provided the only softball seen last year, is a certainty, while several other teams are said to be in sight. Ordnance will have a start towards a team with Charlie Case, Will. White, Herb. Farley, Jimmy Emmens and one or two others on hand. Sgt. "Red" Canning is said to be a capable first-baseman, while a pitcher of more than passing ability is also said to be on hand. Missing faces include "Bunny" Glover, "Joint" McComb, Briggs Creighton, Francis and Norm. Goodhead. More reinforcements can be expected. Equipment to start the team is on hand, including sweaters in double blue, pants and shoes.

Newmarket will not likely see any civilian action but we understand that the camp team will again see action at Davisville Park and will also play a series of exhibition games with teams from Borden and Toronto. The team will need a lot of rebuilding, however. Hodge, the dark-cloud catcher of last season, is gone. Sgt. "Cease" Brown, veteran hurler, and Larmer, young pitching star of last year, are both overseas. From the rest, Buckowsky, O'Neill, Coffey, Sgt. Al. Wysinski, will be on the absentee report.

Clair Exelby, veteran all-round performer, is still around to handle the boys but may not be shortly. Johnny Callanan, who last season played second base for Ordnance Corps in the Davisville league, as well as "Specs" Avison, who has played his share at Brantford, will be two certainties for the team.

Lacrosse is another possibility for No. 23 this year. Major E. H. Adams, the present sports officer, was located last year at Brampton, where a strong team was entered in the O.A.L.A. Major Adams as well as other camp officers would like to see the Redmen cross sticks with the Bulls in the summer sport this year. Cpl. Jack Wheeler, we hear, is one of those anxious to see the gutted stick game started and he should be right at home at boxia.

Once again, with Major Adams an officer of the Canadian Baseball Congress executive, it can be presumed that the Newmarket centre will be represented in some hardball league and in all probability will seek the Congress

title. Brampton camp won the intermediate honors last summer but in so doing lost several hundreds of dollars.

Frank Peppiatt, president of the Congress Service league and one of the Queen City's best known hardball boosters, was born in Newmarket and located in Toronto where he played senior baseball. A few years ago he came back to Newmarket to open the Peppiatt Motor Sales, then returned to Toronto with a brewing firm.

A real go-getter, Frank, along with Lloyd Douglas, has been responsible for giving Ontario sandlotters a chance to get some place in baseball, and last week the two fellows saw their baseball registration for kids a success. We received a copy of the official sandlot guide the other day and Mr. Peppiatt, we find, is photographic as well as energetic. Frank is proud of the fact that he came from Newmarket and recalls that at one time he had at least three brothers playing baseball in Newmarket. The Office Specialty team for some years was sparked by the Peppiatt family.

Douglas Smith of Aurora is another fellow who has made good in the big city. Doug, originally from Zephyr, was raised in Aurora, where he played lacrosse and hockey. He left as a lad for Toronto and caught a place on the good Aura Lee hockey team and with Maitlands in lacrosse. Church league basketball, hockey and softball soon provided an outlet for his abilities and it wasn't long until he was one of the leading executives in all three sports. This season he has just retired as president of the Toronto Softball association after one of its biggest years in history.

"Pep" Kelly, now playing his 13th year in organized hockey, has staged a gallant comeback to rank with the best in amateur senior ranks after most people thought the ex-Newmarket Redman was through. "Pep" is performing nicely for Sudbury seniors and right now is just getting in prime shape. After naming him one of the stars of the series, a Hamilton sports writer described him as follows: "Aged Pep Kelly, a player without enough condition to carry him around a city block without support, but with hockey knowledge that stood out like a sore thumb."

Earl Cook, the big Lemonville farm boy who has had plenty of ups and downs in his baseball career, is right now headed for a big season. Cookie, who starred for Stouffville in the Tri-County league, is now in his 13th year in organized baseball and right back where he started from. If Cook goes well, the Leafs will have a lot of up-country support this season. Syracuse, Cincinnati, Buffalo, Detroit, Beaumont and Portland have all given him a trial, and he is comparatively old for pre-war baseball, but right now age is not so important and the Cook arm is still plenty burly. He is married and past the draft age, a big item so far as professional baseball is concerned. Along with a host of North York friends we will be shouting, "Come on Cookie" when the International league gets under way.

Ronnie Rowe played a fine game for Montreal Royals against Oshawa Generals over the weekend and it is too bad the ex-Markham junior couldn't play the whole series, his last in junior hockey. Rowe is with the navy, and while the silent service will permit him to play with a civilian team within the Quebec boundaries where he is stationed, he can't get permission to play elsewhere.

While on the subject of sailors, Bernie McCarthy, ex-Markham and Unionville player who was with Galt this year, has also joined the navy and is stationed at H.M.C.S. Star at Hamilton.

The sports officer at the Hamilton navy barracks is none other than Bobby Pearce, the big Australian sculler who adopted Canada as his home a few years ago

and was at one time the leading professional sculler in the world. Jackie Watson, another former Markham junior, now with the Canadian army and taking a university course under its auspices at McMaster University, recently was awarded a first team letter when McMaster athletes were honored by their fellows at a sports day dinner. Watson played hockey for both McMaster and Hamilton Juniors the past winter.

Bill Roberts, dynamic sockeroo king on the Newmarket Intermediate Redman defence of yesterday, as well as a member of the championship Sutton Greenshirts of '41, has given up playing hockey and right now is one of the leading referees in the T.H.L. circuit. Bill should make a dandy official, for he certainly had plenty of contacts with arbiters as a player, and should know all the tricks of the trade. Bill has been overseas and back in the present conflict and honorably discharged from the army because of physical ailments.

Herbie Cain, following choices by leading sports writers, was an easy choice for the second team, the first time he has been so honored in his 11 years in the moneyed ranks.

Doug. Bentley of Chicago, who was chosen for the first team leaving berth last season, again secured the same honor. Bentley was right behind Cain in the scoring race.

"Dit" Clapper, oldest player in point of service, being in his 17th year, made the defence on the second team for the umpteenth time. Clapper, as you will recall, was born in Newmarket and spent his boyhood mostly in Aurora. Newmarket is probably the only town of its size in Ontario ever to have placed two native sons in the first 12 in hockey.

Bill Thoms, another native son, has of course won all-star selection before this and, if we remember right, Clapper was on one of the choices the same year. We do not know what the Eastern custom is but in many of the cities making the all-stars calls for an extra helping of "happy cabbage," so perhaps the Newmarket lad will receive more than honor. In any case, being chosen for the team will probably mean a salary increase next season for Herbie.

Phil Vitale, member of No. 23's first hockey team, and well remembered for his Newmarket town league baseball slugging, has been playing some hockey this winter for the London army team. Last year Phil played for Queen's Yorks in the Niagara city league.

Gardner, who played on the defence the past winter briefly for No. 2 C.A.C.T.R. in the local intermediate group, where he won the title of "Hammerhead," also wound up the season with the London boys, along with L-Cpl. Sylvanus Apps, ex-Toronto Leaf star.

Kennie Houghton of Barrie, who played against Aurora and Newmarket Juniors in 1931 in the local junior group when the Colts had such fellows as Stransman, Saso, Kennedy and other good juniors in their line-up, has enlisted in the Canadian army. Houghton, incidentally, was generally assigned to check Herbie Cain when Barrie was playing Newmarket.

Ernie Wortley, well-known hockey referee, has again been named to the umpiring staff of the West Toronto senior baseball league. Ernie is well advanced in years but seems to do a pretty good job nevertheless. The past winter, while not appearing in the district, he did referee most of the home games for Brampton camp. He it was who recommended the suspension of "Joint" McComb.

Wortley worked most of the Aurora junior games in 1938-39-40 along with Kenny Holmesha. The latter has been handling most of the difficult O.H.A. games and handled the Maritimes-Quebec play-offs as well. He too excels as an umpire and has had an offer to go to the American ladies' softball circuit in place of his usual Sunnyside job.

Russell Rowntree (brother of Charlie), former Richmond Hill

RECEIVES WARM WELCOME



Gnr. Reginald Harman, Newmarket, is welcomed home from overseas by little Bobby Hooper. Gnr. Harman has two brothers overseas.

what we said when some of the boys mentioned that we hadn't picked all-star selections from the Aurora town league hockeyists. Quite frankly, we saw only a bit of the league, altho' with the exception of Zephyr, we know the other teams man for man. So now rather than disappoint anyone we have interviewed several fellows who might come under the heading of experts, with the following results.

Zephyr placed one man on the first team and three on the second despite the fact that they won the title. Most everyone was agreed that they had the best balanced team with little to choose among any of them. So those of the Blues who missed the team should not feel they have been slighted. Somebody had to be missed.

Bob Peters did not get the first team goal post, as might be expected, because the boys felt he had played too few games and that, in any case, with a fairly weak team in front of him, Herbie Wake of Ordnance Depot was entitled to that honor. Herbie stopped the proverbial million nearly every game and was better than ever this year.

Jack Heaton of Zephyr was awarded the second spot by a narrow margin over "Chub" Patten and "Ginger" Pugh. The Thornhill lacrosse player and rural hockey player, has been seeing some unusual farm happenings, and all for the good of the war effort. He has a nice herd of Holsteins and for the fifth time within a year twin calves have been born on the Rowntree farm.

It was no oversight! That's former played with inadequate protection from his pads, while Ginger was making his debut in the nets this season, and is bound to be a top-notchier shortly.

Herb Simpson, oldest player in the league in point of age, was a general favorite for the first defence post. Herbie was one of the leading goal scorers in the league too. He also played intermediate with Brougham Bears.

"Duke" Dennis of Vandorf, who teamed with Herb most of the season, was another popular choice for the blue-line. The ex-Aurora-Newmarket-King flash was better than last season and right now is playing fine hockey.

"Bub" Preston of Aurora and Stan. Lunney of Zephyr get the alternate team defence posts. Both boys were brilliant on their respective teams and, while lacking the experience of the other two boys already named, they were not too far behind in ability. Cain of Zephyr was another mentioned prominently.

"Barney" Hood of Vandorf was the choice for the first centre post, by a whisker over "Mickey" Sutton. Both boys were exceptionally clean, dangerous around the nets and clever playmakers. Hood is a shade faster. Ches. Lunney of Zephyr, Al. White of Aurora, Harry Chambers and Herb. Farley of Ordnance were others who drew plaudits.

"Whitey" Jones was the first choice for right wing, with Jake Baker of Vandorf second. Jones, who performed for Richmond Hill juniors, seemed to play much better hockey in the town league and that meant he was a top performer. Baker, like Hood, was fast and always dangerous. Ivan Clark of Zephyr drew some votes too.

Ken, Pickering of Zephyr got the left-wing post on the first team, with Charlie Scott of Zephyr holding down the other team berth. Both lads were spearheads in the Zephyr victories and worked relentlessly whenever on the ice. Conboy of Ordnance and "Tiddler" Sutton of Aurora were close behind the rest and gave a dandy show every time they were in action.

There are the Aurora town league all-stars for 1944, and our last personal all-star summary on hockey, altho' we shall be pleased to publish anyone else's selections if they will forward them.

First team: goal, Herb Yako (R.C.O.C.); defence, Herb Simpson and "Duke" Dennis (Vandorf); centre, "Barney" Hood (Vandorf); right wing, "Whitey" Jones (Aurora); left wing, Ken, Pickering (Zephyr).

Second team: goal, Jack Heaton (Zephyr); defence, "Hub" Preston (Aurora), Stan, Lunney (Zephyr);

WHITCHURCH

Whitchurch Rate May Be Higher This Year

The labor situation was regarded as increasingly critical by Whitchurch council in session on Saturday, when a request for more pay came from Jack Preston, grader operator.

This request served to introduce the whole matter of wages, which resulted in a general increase granted for 1944 of ten cents per hour for laborers, foremen and road grader men. The increase brings Whitchurch in line with the township of Markham, said Reeve Geo. Leary when he was asked what other places were paying.

"I don't think the laborers will come here and ask for an increase," said Deputy-Reeve Lorne Evans. "They don't have to. I doubt if we get the help even with an increase." The councillors showed themselves in complete agreement.

The new rate of pay will be: laborers, 40 cents an hour; road foremen (with car), 50 cents an hour; grader operator, 60 cents an hour.

The road superintendent was instructed to super in all the graders, leaving one with each of the road foremen. Surplus machines may be made available for sale.

Still on the road issue, the council determined to buy ten tons of calcium for use on the roads this summer. This will be available to property owners at 75 cents per hundredweight, which is just half the cost. The council will absorb the remaining half, since the general benefit to the roads is considerable. Last year the council charged \$1 per hundredweight.

A communication from the department of highways signified that they approved of the appropriation by-law of \$18,000 for road expenditures in 1944.

Clerk John Crawford read correspondence indicating that a two-mill subsidy would be coming from the Drew government this year, one mill on general rate as previously established by the Hepburn regime and one mill promised this year to help out on school taxation. A mill amounts to about \$2,500 in the township. Therefore approximately \$5,000 will be forthcoming as a subsidy.

Reeve Geo. Leary and the council gave much consideration to the budget drawn up by Clerk Crawford as probable expenditures for this year, which indicated that there will have to be careful spending to hold the tax rate at its present level. With everything costing more, taxes are likely to go up.

School taxes, due to increasing salaries, are pointed upward. Councillor L. J. Harper, delegate to the Ontario Good Roads convention, said it was the largest of its kind on record, and that he considered matters of

VANDORF

MRS. MACKEY, 46, IS BURIED AT VANDORF

Mrs. Wm. Mackey died in her sleep on April 4. Since an illness five years ago, Mrs. Mackey had not been able to take an active part in the community but was able to help care for her family.

Before her marriage she was Laura Beatrice Eade. She was in her 47th year.

She had a friendly disposition and was always cheerful. She was a devoted wife and mother.

Surviving are her husband, three sons, Gordon, Cecil and Alvin, and one daughter, Marjory.

The service at Wesley church on Thursday afternoon was conducted by Rev. E. Moddle, assisted by Rev. Garnet Lynd.

Interment was made in the adjoining cemetery.

VANDORF

COW'S KICKS SEND FARMER TO HOSPITAL

The monthly meeting of the Vandorf Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. F. van Nostrand on Wednesday afternoon, April 19. The topic, "Easter," will be taken by Mrs. E. Scott.

Roll-call will be answered by saying something kind about the lady on the left. The hostesses are Mrs. G. Preston and Mrs. Staley. Current events will be given by Mrs. W. Graham. The election of officers will be held.

Mrs. Wells, who celebrated her 89th birthday on Thursday, April 13, is visiting friends in Toronto.

Misses Rea, Edith and Ethel Goodwin, Toronto, visited the Switzer family on Good Friday.

Miss Audrey Switzer, Toronto, spent the Easter weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Switzer.

Miss Mary Babcock, Toronto, visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Switzer, for the holiday weekend.

Mr. Neal Mayor, Barrie, is visiting his grandfather, Mr. W. D. Richardson, and family.

Pte. James White, Kingston, and Mrs. White visited Pte. White's brother, Mr. H. A. White, and Mrs. White, on Thursday.

H. A. Switzer's brother, M. Switzer, died in Toronto on Saturday.

Miss Mary McDonald, Ceylon, is at home for the Easter holidays.

W. D. Richardson is ill.

Wm. McDonald is in York County hospital recovering from two broken bones in his leg. While he was doing his chores a cow kicked him.

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real value were under discussion.

On motion of Councillor Eugene Baker and Councillor E. Logan a small list of general accounts was ordered paid. And road accounts that had reached the office in time for compiling in the report were ordered paid. Some road accounts were too late.

This is one in a series of messages explaining problems of electric supply to farm and hamlet consumers served direct by The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario.



Why a Minimum Bill for Electric Service?

In our previous message, we indicated the two parts of the cost of supplying electric power to the Rural User. Let us consider the part covering distribution cost, and its relation to the MINIMUM BILL.

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These explanations are given to help you understand the new rate. In our next message, we will discuss, for your benefit, "Installing Services under War Conditions". In the meantime, if you need further information, please ask your Rural District Superintendent.

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Jimmy Peregrine, Queensville,
six years old on Monday, April 10.
Norman Kay, R. R. 3, Newmar-
ket, six years old on Wednesday,
April 12.
Ruth Lepard, Holland Land-
ing, two years old on Thursday,
April 13.

Jack Rush, Newmarket, 12
years old on Friday, April 14.
Bobby Atchison, Keswick, 13
years old on Friday, April 14.
Bernice Scott, Newmarket, 11
years old on Friday, April 14.
Tommy Peregrine, Queens-
ville, three years old on Satur-
day, April 15.

Send in your name, age and
birthday and become a member
of The Era and Express Birth-
day club.

UNION STREET

W. I. MAKES \$25 GIFT
TO HOSPITAL FUND

The regular meeting of the
Union Street Women's Institute
was held at the home of Miss
Violet Micks instead of Mrs.
Harold Bivins.

The roll-call was answered by
"pay your fee."

Cards of thanks were read
from Ethan Fairbairn for his
Christmas box. Ethan is in
Africa. Thanks were extended
from Mrs. E. Sanderson and
Harold Reaman.

The sum of \$25 was voted to
the Newmarket hospital fund.

All the officers were put in
by acclamation.

Ten dollars from the travelling
apron was given to the British
war victims fund.

Mrs. E. Sanderson is ill in
York County hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Beckett spent
Easter Sunday with Mrs. Beck-
ett's mother, Mrs. W. R. Ashen-
hurst, Newmarket.

ORGANIZE BROWNIE PACK

A Brownie Pack, which has
been organized for all girls from
the ages of seven to 11, of
all denominations, has been regis-
tered at both the Girl Guide and
the Salvation Army headquarters, Tor-
onto. The leader of the pack is
Miss Zilpah Lavender. The assist-
ant leader is Miss Lois Pemberton.

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Concluding that there was suffi-
cient evidence brought forth in the
preliminary hearing, completed in
county magistrate's court in New-
market last week, to show that
George Constantine, 239 Niagara
St., Toronto, knew that the three
bonds which he had in his posses-
sion were stolen. Magistrate K. M.
Lindon committed the accused to
prison by a higher court. Crown
Attorney Arleigh Armstrong at the
beginning of the hearing asked that
the case proceed by indictment,
and the defendant was not allowed
the choice of being tried by his
worship. A. Dymant was the
counsel for the defence.

"On Jan. 10 my mill was broken
into," testified J. Allan Perks, New-
market merchant. "The following
morning I found the safe taken out
and opened in the centre of the
roadway in front of the mill and
the contents taken out." The wit-
ness stated that among the articles
stolen from the safe were a number
of bearer bonds which he had pur-
chased from the Bank of Montreal.

Called to the stand, R. Douglas
Brown, manager of the Bank of
Montreal, Newmarket, identified
the numbers of certain \$100 bonds,
which were said to be in the
defendant's possession after the
break-in, as being the same as
those purchased by Mr. Perks.

Albert E. Rogers, assistant ac-
countant of the Dominion Bank at
Yonge and Gerrard Sts., Toronto,
told his worship that on Jan. 11 he
had purchased from Mary Lavigne,
306 Jarvis St., Toronto, three \$100
bonds bearing the same numbers
as those stolen from Perks. He
said that he did not think that he
could recognize the woman if he
saw her again.

"On March 16, from information
received, the accused was brought
to No. 1 police station in Toronto,"
stated Constable John Nimmo of
the Toronto police force. "I told
the accused that he was arrested
on a charge of having stolen
goods."

The witness said that he ques-
tioned Mr. Constantine after first
warning him that he need not
answer the questions.

"He made a statement to the
effect that he had received bonds
from a west-end mob," continued
the officer. "I asked him the name
of the person that he got the bonds
from and he said that he did not
wish to tell me."

"What kind of a club is the west-
end mob?" asked the crown.
The witness explained that this mob
was known for its defiance of the
law.

"The accused said that he had
received a percentage of money re-
ceived from the bonds. He said
that he had gotten another party
to sell the bonds for him. I asked
him if he wished to implicate any
other person and he said that he
did not."

Cross-examined by the defence,
Constable Nimmo stated that Mr.
Constantine had been brought to the
police station by Chief Constable
James Sloss and another police
officer. He denied that he had
ever offered the defendant any
bribe or inducement to make a
statement.

A fine of \$25 and costs or ten
days was imposed on Glen Hill,
R. R. 2, Aurora, whom his worship
found guilty on a charge of careless
driving in Whitechurch township on
March 16. The defendant pleaded
not guilty to the charge.

William Stephens, R. R. 1, Sutton,
in reply to questions of Crown
Constable Alex. Ferguson, stated
that he had been driving east on
Eagle St. and was about half a mile
from the intersection of Eagle and
Yonge Sts. when he was forced
to drive completely on to the
shoulder of the road in an attempt
to avoid a head-on collision with
the car driven west by Mr. Hill.

"He was coming along on my
side of the road," testified the
witness. "He hit the side of my
car, causing damage to it."
The witness went on to say that
the defendant had failed to stop
his car but continued on along
Yonge St. to Mulock's corners,
where he caught up to him. He
said that Mr. Hill admitted strik-
ing his car.

Allan Martin, Ravenshoe, pass-
enger in the Stephens car, also
stated that the defendant admitted
that he knew that he had collided
with the Stephens car. He stated
that Constable Ferguson said that he
had investigated the accident at
about 11:15 p.m. He stated that
when he arrived at Middlebrook's
service station, at Mulock's corners,
he found the Stephens car damaged
on the left side. He estimated the
extent of damage at about \$45.
The Hill car, he said, was damaged
to the extent of from \$25 to \$50.

"When questioned, Hill admitted
striking the Stephens car," stated
the officer. "He said that the
lights of the Stephens car were
bright. I went to Eagle St., where
the accident occurred. The road
here is 20 feet wide, with a five-
foot shoulder."

The witness said that he found
marks of the Stephens car on the
shoulder of the road. He added
that at the time of the investigation,
no suggestion had been offered that
Mr. Hill had not stopped his car
of his own accord. Had that
information been given, he would
have laid a further charge against
the defendant.

In his defence Mr. Hill said that
there had been a glare from the
Stephens car and that he did not
realize that he was so far over on
the other side of the road. He
stated that he had been pulled over
from the pavement and had been
pulling over to his own side. He
stated that he had stopped his car
further along the road.

Hugh E. Hamilton, a passenger
in the Hill car, stated that the
defendant had stopped his car
about 420 yards from the accident.
When they looked back they did
not see the Stephens car, so
concluded it had gone on. They
intended to phone the police from
Middlebrook's.

"I haven't too much sympathy
for these drivers who go on a half
mile before stopping after an
impact," commented Magistrate
Lindon. "Hill, you have driven
long enough to know that you
should stop when you hit another
car. There will be a conviction. I
fine you the sum of \$25 and costs
or ten days in jail."

A fine of \$10 and costs was im-

EDITH HAINES HEADS
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The April meeting of the
Sharon Women's Institute was
held at the home of Mrs. David
Coates.

The following officers were
elected for the coming year:
president, Miss Edith Haines;
1st vice-president, Mrs. Norman
Crone; 2nd vice-president, Mrs.
Eugene Kiteley; secretary, Mrs.
Elgin Evans; treasurer, Mrs. J.
S. Osborne; press correspondent,
Mrs. Harold Boyd; district
director, Mrs. David Coates;
directors, Mrs. Wellington Selby,
Mrs. Ernest Wright, Mrs. Harry
Walker and Mrs. Alan Shaw;

Flower convenors, Mrs. Walter
Hall and Mrs. Fred Scott;
agriculture and Canadian indus-
tries, Mrs. Walter Haines; home
economics, Mrs. Chas. Haines;
historical research, Mrs. Levi
Weddel; citizenship, Mrs. Frank
Ramsay; social welfare, Mrs. R.
J. Rogers; war work, Mrs. Elmer
Fry; pianist, Mrs. Alan Shaw;
auditors, Miss Nora Shaw and
Mrs. Selby.

Misses Alice and Erma Ramsay
spent the long weekend with
their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F.
Ramsay.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Black
and family of Ottawa are spend-
ing a couple of weeks with Mrs.
Black's parents, Mr. and Mrs.
J. Parker.

Miss Helen Shaw, Toronto,
spent the weekend at home.

LAC Richard Shaw is serving
overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. Long, Toronto,
spent Sunday with Mrs. F.
Slokes.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Mount
and Dale and Miss Jean Evans,
Toronto, spent the weekend with
Mrs. Ethel Evans.

Mr. Herb. Kershaw, Orillia,
spent the long weekend with
Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Fry.

Guests at the home of Mrs.
Eugene Kiteley during the holi-
day weekend were Misses Phyllis
and Gwen Kiteley and Miss
Dorothy Adams, all of Toronto,
AC2 Donald Kiteley and AC2
Bob Houston and Mr. and Mrs.
Walter Proctor and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Glover,
Toronto, spent the weekend with
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Glover.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parker,
Toronto, spent the long week-
end with Mr. and Mrs. Jas.
Parker.

Mrs. Merton Shaw, Hamilton,
and Mrs. Kenneth Somerville,
Toronto, spent a few days with
Miss Nora Shaw.

Mrs. Peter Johns, Toronto,
visited her sister, Mrs. David
Coates, last week.

Mrs. Keith Knowles and Miss
Kathleen Jones spent the week-
end with their parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Chris. Jones.

The home nursing classes for
the Sharon unit will be discon-
tinued until further notice.

HELP RED SHIELD

The Pine Orchard sewing
club, under the leadership of
Mrs. G. McClure, gave the
following articles in March to
the Salvation Army Red Shield:
four large quilts, 18 prs. socks,
15 print dresses, two knitted
wool caps, one girl's sweater,
two silk dresses, one boy's suit,
12 prs. sleepers.

The Union Street Women's
Institute gave the Red Shield
two quilts.

Sharon Women's Institute gave
the Red Shield one quilt.

posed on Gerard Ambrose Kelly,
Breckon, Ont., for illegal possession
of liquor. The defendant pleaded
guilty to the charge.

According to Constable George
Foster, Georgina township, on
March 18 at about 11:05 p.m., he
noticed a car parked in the drive-
way of a vacant lot. There were
two men besides the defendant in
the car. When he asked them if
they were drinking, they replied
that they were not. Upon searching
the car he found five quarts of beer.
Mr. Kelly admitted ownership of
the liquor.

Five motorists were found guilty
of having faulty brakes on their
cars and were fined \$10 and costs
each: Loftus Jewitt, R. R. 2, King,
Harold Wilkinson, Keswick, Harry
Davis, Rochester, Edmund
Travis, Brown Hill, and Cyril Ire-
land, Queensville. In each case
County Constable Ronald Watt
laid the charge.

A fine of \$1 and costs was im-
posed on Malcolm Sedore, Island
Grove, for illegal parking in New-
market. Constable Kenneth Mount
laid the charge.

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WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY - APRIL 19 - 20
PAT O'BRIEN - BETH WARWICK
"THE IRON MAJOR"

GEORGINA
Ask Coal Controller
To Investigate Supply

Georgina township council met
at Pefferlaw on April 3.

The auditor's report was
accepted as presented. The
clerk was instructed to have the
usual number of copies printed.
The collector's time for return-
ing the tax roll was extended
until the next regular meeting
of the council.

The Hedge Road, from the
western end to St. George's
church, was designated a park
area by the council. The speed
of motor vehicles in this area
was limited to 20 miles an hour.
A by-law to this effect was
passed and forwarded to the
minister of highways for his
approval.

As a certain section of the
township of Georgina is depend-
ent upon Sutton coal dealers for
their supply of coal, and as the
quota of coal for the district
supplied by Sutton is not being
brought in, the council passed a
resolution asking the coal con-
troller of Canada to investigate
the situation and have it
remedied.

The following general accounts
were passed for payment: M. O.
Tremayne, treasurer's bond, \$12;
Dr. H. G. Leary, dental work,
December, 1943, \$27; February
and March, 1944; County of York,
hospitalization, \$35.12; Geo. Foster,
police duties, \$16.10; Wilbert
Lee, mixed wood, \$137.50; Onta-
rio Hospital, Woodstock, re-
indigents, \$45.50; Chas.
Pringle, relief, \$9; W. Angus
Ego, auditor, \$50; road voucher,
\$449.50.

W. C. Evans reported the fol-
lowing collections for the Red
Cross campaign: S. S. 1, \$189.75;
S. S. 2, \$75.70; S. S. 3, \$49.50;
S. S. 4, \$84; S. S. 5, \$98; S. S. 6,
\$32.50; S. S. 8, \$43.25; S. S. 9,
\$205.50; total, \$738.20.

The council adjourned to meet
on May 1, at 8:30 p.m.

**SPORT
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E. C. Johnson and \$1 from Mrs.
W. R. A.

The "Challenge of the Cross,"
which was presented by seven gen-
tlemen of the Youth Group in the
Salvation Army hall on Wednesday
evening of last week, was a success.

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Mount Albert

Mrs. Ethel Harmon has been visiting friends at Zephyr. Mrs. Ruth Calver and children, Newmarket, spent the Easter holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Calver. Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Thompson, A. C. and Jimmie, have been visiting friends at Orangeville for the Easter holidays. Ronald Allison, Toronto, spent Good Friday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Allison. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Watts and Judy, Newmarket, were weekend

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(Herman Stiles)

guests of Misses Florence and Gladys Brooks, who have opened their home for the summer. Mrs. P. E. Rowan, who has spent the winter in Toronto and Hamilton, has returned home for the summer. Mrs. Frank Cook was called to Toronto last week owing to the death of her sister. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Robertson and Mr. and Mrs. MacDonald, Fort Erie, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. W. Robertson. Mrs. A. L. Dunn, Welland, Mrs. E. Wrightman, Catherine and Marilyn, Newmarket, were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Steeper. Mrs. Lyla Pearson entertained a family party on Friday evening in honor of her father's, Mr. Amos Lapp's, 83rd birthday. The Mount Albert Red Cross unit shipped the following articles in April: four men's dressing gowns, two cot quilts, three large quilts, one sheet, one green silk blouse, four turtle-neck sweaters, three pairs grey survivors' socks and 51 pillow slips. The Easter services in the village were well attended this year. The Good Friday service, in the morning at the United Church and in the afternoon and evening the youth rally at the Community hall of the

Gospel church, had large congregations. Sunday morning at the United Church a fine communion service was held and special music was given by the choir, assisted by Miss May Peagam, soloist. In the evening the pageant, "I know that my Redeemer lives," was presented by the C.G.T. girls and Trail Ranger boys, assisted by the choir. In spite of bad weather, there was a large congregation. Miss Bella Cook, Toronto, has opened her home here for the summer. Mr. and Mrs. A. Bee and family spent Sunday with her. Miss Pauline Sinclair and Mrs. W. Archer visited friends in Hamilton this week. Miss Helen Burgess and Bill Burgess, Toronto, spent Easter with their parents at the persons. Mr. Laurie Wagg, Camp Borden, and Mrs. Wagg and children of Unbridge were Easter guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leadbetter. Master John Kenna has returned from the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, and has recovered nicely after an operation on his head. Mr. and Mrs. Don Degeer, Toronto, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. D. Stokes. Mr. and Mrs. Norm Smith, Toronto, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Wagg. Mr. and Mrs. Percy Thompson and Edward, Helen and Mina Oliver, Toronto, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Oliver. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilson, Toronto, were in town over Sunday. Hugh Price, Guy Williamson and Reg. Wilbee, now in camp at Windsor, were home on leave for Easter. Diane Locke, Toronto, is spending the Easter holidays with Mrs. Bruce Davidson. Mr. and Mrs. S. Pegg, Keswick, Mr. and Mrs. Donald MacInnes, Toronto, and Mrs. Ethel Jarvis, Newmarket, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carr. Mrs. John Cain has gone to stay with her daughter, Mrs. V. Mitchell, Newmarket, who is ill. Miss Bessie Pegg, Toronto, spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. A. Sheppard. Mrs. Herb. Boyd, Newmarket, is with her mother, Mrs. M. Little, who has been ill for some weeks. Mrs. Allen Palmer and children, Queensville, were Saturday guests of Mrs. J. Cain. Mrs. Thos. Allen, who has been in York County hospital, is now at the home of Mrs. W. Clarke. Sports day this year will be held Saturday, June 2. It was decided at a meeting last Wednesday evening. Miss Edith Smith has returned from a two weeks holiday with friends in Toronto.



Sgmn. Wm. Vaile, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vaile, Keswick, has been overseas since November, 1941, going first to England, where he was until October, 1943. With him in Italy when this snap was taken was Sgmn. Fred Lusted, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lusted, Newmarket. Only the Keswick part of the picture was at all reproducible.

NORTH GWILLIMBURY PROVINCE ALLOWS 75 PERCENT ON BRIDGES

North Gwillimbury township council met at Belhaven on Monday, April 3. A communication from the department of highways advised the council that a net expenditure on roads of \$15,000 for 1944 was approved. The department also sent a copy of new regulations governing subsidies on bridges. In future the department will pay by subsidy 75 percent of the cost of bridges, ten feet span and over, provided they are built according to plans and specifications approved by the department. Notice was also received of the provincial government's grant of an additional one mill subsidy to reduce costs of education. A summary of the auditor's report on 1943 operations was placed before the council and was found highly satisfactory. The report showed a surplus for the year of \$2,887.28 and a decrease of \$2,886.37 in tax arrears. The auditor reported several items of dog taxes in arrears for some years back, which appeared to be uncollectible and recommended that these be written off. A resolution was passed to do this. W. S. Gibson and his son, S. E. Gibson, surveyors, were present to discuss with the council making a survey and plan of a portion of Orchard Beach where property descriptions are in bad shape. Arrangements were made to have Messrs. Gibson proceed with the work as soon as possible. The following accounts were passed for payment: Ontario Hydro, \$8.50; R. Switzer, \$7.44; department of health, \$2.20; county of York, \$144.69; road voucher No. 4, \$919.25; Fred Peel, \$100; H. H. Taylor, \$12; Jas. Diamond, \$18; Dr. H. G. Leary, \$119; Carl Morton, \$75; N. Robertson, \$5; W. E. King, auditor, \$150; T. R. Sheppard, \$6; J. H. Harper, \$4. Welfare. E. P. Crittenden, \$14.35; township of East Gwillimbury, \$61.28; W. Halsdon, \$12.50; D. Pivnick, \$10; Kellington's store, \$25; W. A. Burkholder, \$17.20; Archie Smith, \$5; Cook's Bakery, \$5.04; J. Nicklin, \$14; McGenerty's store, \$14; Angus King, \$10. Reeve Ross McMillan read a kind invitation from Arthur Dawson asking the council to inspect North Gwillimbury's war industry at the Dawson Boat Works. The council therefore adjourned and spent the balance of the afternoon at the Dawson plant.

SUTTON WEST PRESENT BADGES TO TRAIL RANGER BOYS

Mrs. Wm. King and Miss Annie King, Newmarket, and Helen Marie Freeland were Easter guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John King. Mrs. A. Raiton and Beth are spending the Easter holidays in Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barge and Dennis, Sarnia, and Mrs. E. F. Bagwell, Regina, Sask., were Easter guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Bruels. Miss Verna Burnam spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Burnam. Mrs. Wm. Taylor, Toronto, spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. G. Morrison. The Misses Brooks and Charles spent the Easter holiday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brooks. Miss Anna Pritchard is spending her holidays at the manse with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Pritchard. The Misses Powell, Toronto, spent the weekend at the rectory with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. P. G. Powell. The church services were well attended Easter Sunday owing to the lovely weather. Many visitors were in town and attended the services. Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Noble had their family home over the holiday. Mrs. O. M. Beattie and sons, Peter and Paul, spent the holiday in Toronto. The final meeting of the Trail Rangers was held on Wednesday night at the United Church. An interesting talk was given by J. Crozier on the ten items of the Trail Rangers' code. Following this talk, badges were presented by F. Culverwell. The business meeting was held after the presentation of the badges. The following are the new officers for next fall: chief, Bob McLaughlin; sub-chief, John Leary; tally, Dennis Gould; cache, Bob Parker. The following received badges: Pathfinder badge, Jerry Lake, Bob Parker, Bob McLaughlin, Dennis Gould, Donald Hill, John Taylor, Ray McConnell, John Leary, Tom Taylor and Skip Taylor. First aid badge, Jerry Lake, Bob Parker, Bob McLaughlin, Dennis Gould, Donald Hill, John Taylor, Ray McConnell, John Leary and Tom Taylor. Winners of chickens at the draw held at the Newmarket Veterans Association bingos on March 30 were: Albert Doner, 8 Pine St., Newmarket; D. Locke, Newmarket; Mrs. Z. Goheen, Newmarket; H. Bunting, Simcoe St., Newmarket; H. R. Price, 22 Concession St., Newmarket; David Thoms, Gorman St., Newmarket; Mrs. Jas. R. Lee, Vincent St., Newmarket; Dr. L. W. Dales, Prospect St., Newmarket; Geo. Coorsen, 151 Main St., Newmarket; and Geo. Watt, Timothy St., Newmarket. It will pay you to use the classified columns.

BROWNHILL

An enjoyable time was spent by all who attended the dance held in the school on April 1. It netted the club \$34.50. The next dance will be held on April 15. A number from the community attended the funeral of the late Perry Crittenden of the village. Shirley Sedore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sedore, is improving nicely after her recent appendix operation at York County hospital, Newmarket. Mrs. Reford Sedore has returned home after spending several weeks in Toronto with her brother. Alfred Rose spent the holiday weekend in the village. The Ladies' Patriotic club packed and sent 19 Easter boxes to the local boys in the services. Ethel Morton underwent an operation for appendicitis in York County hospital early Monday morning, April 10. Wilmet King went to Orillia to work for the county this week. Miss Florence Cain spent the Easter holidays in the village.

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HOPE

The Women's Hobby Club will meet at the home of Mrs. W. H. Wilmet on Tuesday, April 18, at 2 p.m. The roll-call will be answered by "Name of your birthplace."

SPORTS...

FROM WHERE WE SIT

By DEL. GIBNEY

Planning Big Season

To many people lawn bowling is an old man's game, but let me tell you that rolling the bowls is one of the most skilled sports and requires many years of practice. The Newmarket club is planning a big season for the greens and would be pleased to show any newcomer the art of rolling the bowls. Andy Mordison is spending much time in arranging games and tournaments two months away. With snow flurries still in the air, members are already sending in entries. A big July 1 Scotch doubles tournament has been booked, with the first 48 entries to be accepted and \$150 in prizes. Entries are already coming in from far and near.

Ball Is In The Air

With the cold March winds still whistling around the corner, the boys from the tannery are beginning to talk ball for the coming season. The Specialty keeps up on summer activities.

Why Not A Mixed League?

With the scarcity of manpower, a mixed softball league would create interest. Tannery, Specialty, town and camp, and perhaps the high school could put in teams.

ELMHURST BEACH

The Elmhurst Beach W.I. will hold its annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Chas. Hodgins on Tuesday, April 18. Among those who spent the Easter holiday weekend in the community were Leslie Lockerie and Miss Brown at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lockerie. Misses Joan and Grace Lunn visited their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Lunn. Misses Agnes and Eleanor Lunn visited their parents. Miss Agnes Lunn is spending two weeks holiday at her home. Mr. and Mrs. Coulson Cameron are getting "Terry home" ready for the summer. Mr. and Mrs. Maw visited Mrs. Maw's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Selby Sedore. Mr. Wm. Amittage, Toronto, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Pollock and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hayes recently. Miss Marjorie Hayes is spending some time at home. Mr. Lorne Anderson, Montreal, was home for the weekend. Those from Elmhurst Beach who joined the United Church at Keswick on Easter Sunday were Donna Anderson, Audrey Sedore, June Alder, Doris Pollock, Allan Peters, Gordon Clark and Claude Pollock. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sedore are the parents of a baby daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hodgins and family have moved to this community. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Lowndes and baby, Rawlins, spent Easter with Mrs. Lowndes' parents at Sharon. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Alder and family have moved to Roche's Point. Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Crittenden have moved to the home vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Alder. Mrs. Hodgins has received word that her sister, Mrs. Giler, Vancouver, will be spending the summer in the east. O. S. Caverley has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Pollock. Louise Anderson is home after spending some time working in Toronto. Mrs. Lorne Anderson, teacher of the day school, assisted by Mrs. Lockerie, Misses Marjorie and Beatrice Hayes, Evelyn King and Louise Anderson, Mrs. Clark and Mrs. King, distributed the ration books. Mrs. Pollock has received scores of letters from the boys of this community who are overseas. They are greatly impressed by the wonderful hospitality of the Scotch people as well as the English. The boxes of chocolates recently sent to the boys by the Elmhurst Beach Women's Institute have been received.

Virginia

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Harlett and sons, Donald and Douglas, Forest Hill, called on Mr. William Hadden on Easter Monday. Mr. Kenneth Skinner spent Good Friday in Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. O. Hancock, Mazo, Kathleen, Yvonne and Ralph, Reaborn, spent Sunday with Mrs. Walter Roe. Miss Frances Evans, Toronto, is spending the Easter holidays with her parents. Mr. John Umphrey, Cannington, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Elymer Rao, for a few days this week. Virginia Christian, Oshawa, is spending a vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Evans. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barge, Barrie, visited relatives here over the holiday. Donald Christian, Jr., Oshawa, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Evans. Victor Stevenson, Toronto, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Stevenson. Mrs. Geo. Arnold has returned home after spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. W. Lyons. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cranberry visited Mrs. Cranberry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. MacLean, Heverton, on Saturday. Misses Olive and Marion Lyons, Toronto, spent the holiday weekend at their home. Mrs. Elta Wight and family of



Pilot Officer Munro Thompson, Roche's Point, received his navigator's wing at St. Jean, P.Q., on Dec. 23. He is with the ferry command. He is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Eric Thompson, Roche's Point. His father is a member of the Veterans' Guard and a younger brother, Harold, is a paratrooper and is overseas.

Keswick

Miss Florence Waldon and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Harron, Toronto, spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. Waldon. Mr. Enoch McKinnon and Mr. and Mrs. Welley McKinnon spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Archie McKinnon. Miss Ella Morton spent Monday in Toronto. Mrs. J. Shaw has returned home after visiting friends in Toronto for a month. Mrs. Nellie Morton and Miss Mary Morton spent a few days visiting friends in Newmarket last week. Mr. and Mrs. Munro King and son of Toronto were Easter guests of Mrs. King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Holborn. Keswick Christian church celebrated Easter with a communion service which was well attended. Beautiful Easter lilies graced the pulpit. They were given in remembrance of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Connell and after the service were sent to sick friends of the church. Rev. R. W. Serrick preached a fine Easter sermon. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hodgson, Toronto, Mrs. King, Sr., and Miss Annie King, Newmarket, were Easter holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. King. A great many cars were up at the lake and cottages on Sunday. There is no sign of the lake being clear of ice as yet. Mr. and Mrs. Donald McInnis, Toronto, were guests at Mr. and Mrs. S. Pegg's for Easter. Keswick public school is holding "open night" on April 18 at 8 o'clock. Besides a display of the pupils' work there will be lantern slides on "planning and planting our home grounds," a contest or two and refreshments. Mrs. Ben Johnston and daughter, Lois, Sutton West, visited Mrs. Johnston's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Prosser, on Easter Monday. Mrs. Byron King and son, Wayne, returned to Toronto on Sunday after spending a few days with Mrs. King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wright. Ethan Morton underwent an operation for appendicitis at York County hospital on Sunday. He is reported as improving. Easter guests of Rev. and Mrs. Gordon Lapp were Mrs. R. M. Lapp, Miss Margaret Lapp and Miss Edith Wright, Brighton, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald A. Lapp, Fort Erie. Mr. Lapp is inspector of public schools for the Rainy River district. Lieut. and Mrs. W. H. Fowler and baby daughter, Joan Barbara, recently of Halifax and now of Toronto, were guests this week of Mrs. Fowler's mother, Mrs. Cavalcanti, and sister, Miss Gordon Lapp. Walter Walker will be soloist at the morning service at the United Church on Sunday. Home on leave from his navy duties, Walter did not arrive in time to sing last Sunday. Among the Easter weekend guests at Keswick were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Rothwell, Sub-Lieut. Tom Johnson, Walter Walker of the R.C.N.V.R. and Sgt. George A. Sedgwick, Miss Joan Bamey, Newmarket, Miss Joyce Tate, Richmond Hill, Miss Patrice Kitchener, Mrs. Hill, Miss Patrice Kitchener, Mrs. Wesley Shaw and small daughter, Susan, Ted Hensley of the R.C.A.F. and Mrs. Hensley, Mrs. Ethel Morton, and Carol, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Harmon and baby and Betty Harmon, Miss Shirley Pollock, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Pollock and infant daughter, Miss Evelyn Pollock, and Miss Rebecca Pollock, L.A.C. Robert Pollock, and Mrs. M. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maw, Mr. and Mrs. Don McInnis, Miss Patrice Connell, and Miss Leon Connell and baby daughter, Miss Shirley Roe, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Arnold, Grand Rapids of the R.C.A.F., and Lieut. Kathleen Ford and Miss Margaret Ford and Fred Munippen, who is home from overseas. Mrs. Whipple is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. H. Penney, who has been ill. Mrs. Kenneth Marton, Paul Marton and Charlotte Marton, Miss Gladstone Marton, Miss Dorcas Marton and Miss Margaret Marton, were Easter visitors at Keswick. William Marton is ill in York County hospital. John Prosser is greatly improved and is at home now. Toronto spent the weekend with Mrs. Wight's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harner. Mrs. E. Bagwell, Regina, visited Mrs. Geo. Arnold on Saturday. Mrs. H. Morris, Toronto, spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. A. Chapman. It costs only 25 cents (if paid in a week) to tell thousands of people about that article you do not need.

Holland Landing

Mr. C. Grant, Toronto, spent the weekend at the home of his mother, Mrs. Walters. Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Bell over the weekend included Miss Dorothy Bell, Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. S. Nesbitt, Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Don. Smith, Windsor. Cpl. Gordon Kitching, Simcoe, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. Kitching. Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Stephenson spent Sunday with Mrs. Stephenson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sedore, Keswick. Mr. and Mrs. McCallum attended the funeral in Toronto on Sunday of their brother-in-law, Mr. Wolfe. Mr. and Mrs. C. Bellar, who celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary recently, were given a surprise party by their family last week and presented with a china cabinet. A lovely Easter service was held in the United Church on Sunday evening. The choir sang several beautiful numbers. A solo, "Open the Gates of the Temple," was sung by T. Speziall. A bouquet of spring flowers was presented to the church by Mr. and Mrs. H. Draper for the service. Miss Irene Rieborough of Weston is vacationing with her sister, Mrs. John Gibson. Mr. Leslie Rowe and Mr. Stanley MacBeth, Toronto, were guests at Mr. Rowe's home over the weekend. Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. W. Henbest that their son, Flt-Sgt. Howard V. Henbest, Ottawa, has been promoted to the rank of pilot officer. Miss Marjorie Kendrick is spending the Easter holidays at her home in Hamilton. Mr. M. Pearson is spending the vacation at his home in Weston. Mrs. Percy Thompson and son, Bruce, visited friends in Toronto over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. W. MacKenzie and daughter of Lansing visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Sheppard on Sunday. Guests at the home of Mrs. Herbert C. Long during the Easter holidays included Lieut. and Mrs. E. Ames, Barrie, Sgt. and Mrs. Dunstall, Aurora, and Mrs. J. Munro, Toronto. Mrs. H. Long was surprised on Sunday by a visit from her brother.

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